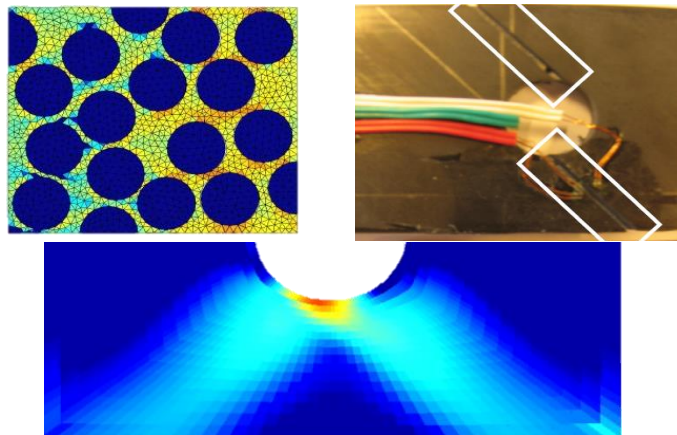
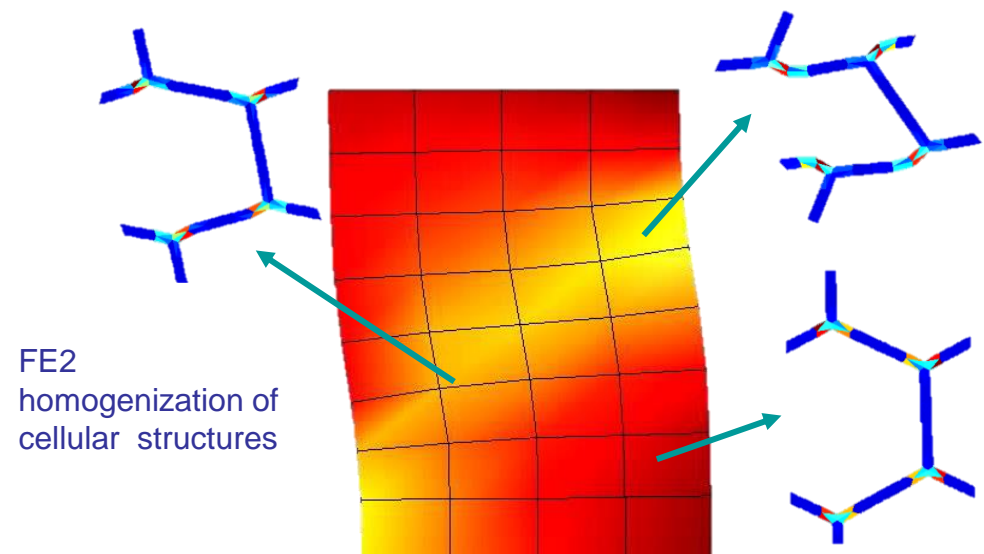


Muti-scale methods with strain-softening: damage-enhanced MFH for composite materials and computational homogenization for cellular materials with micro-buckling

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Non-local damage mean-field-homogenization



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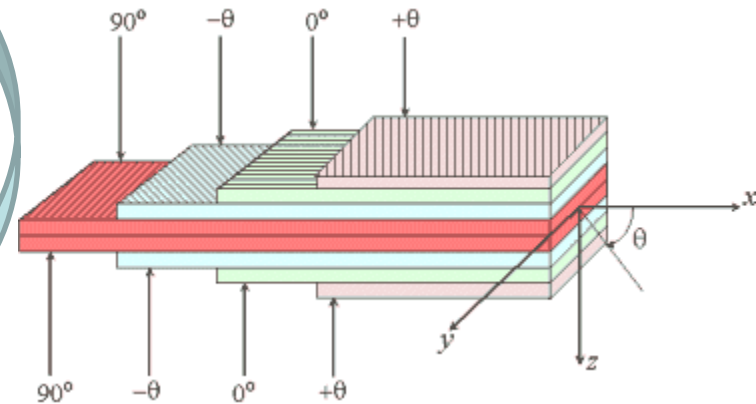
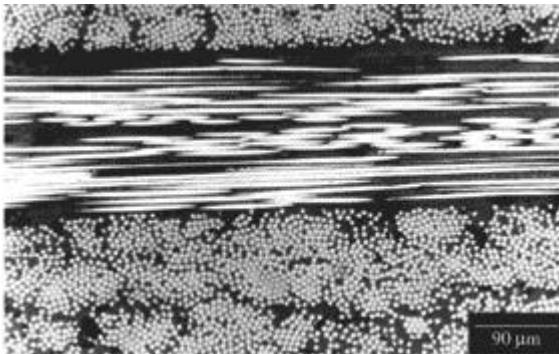
Multi-scale modelling: Why?

- Materials in aeronautics

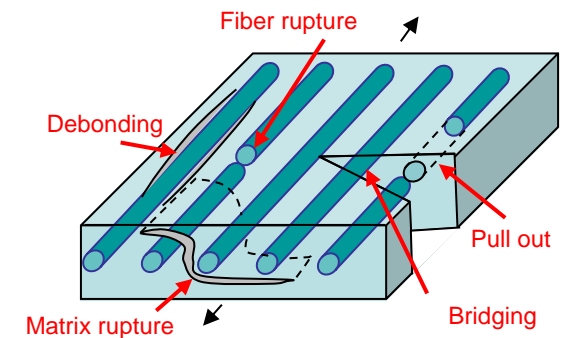
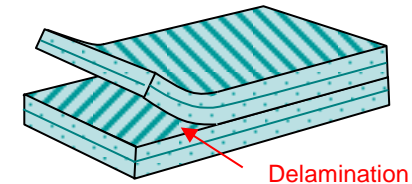
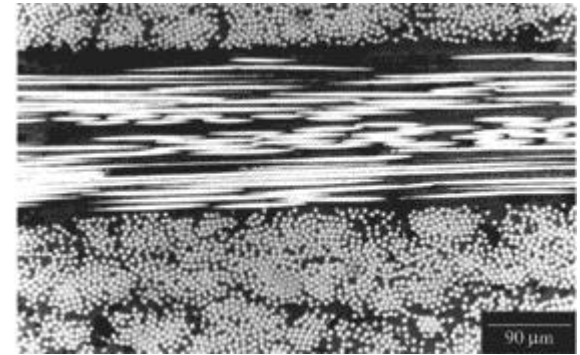
- More and more engineered
- Multi-scale in nature



A350 wing lower cover



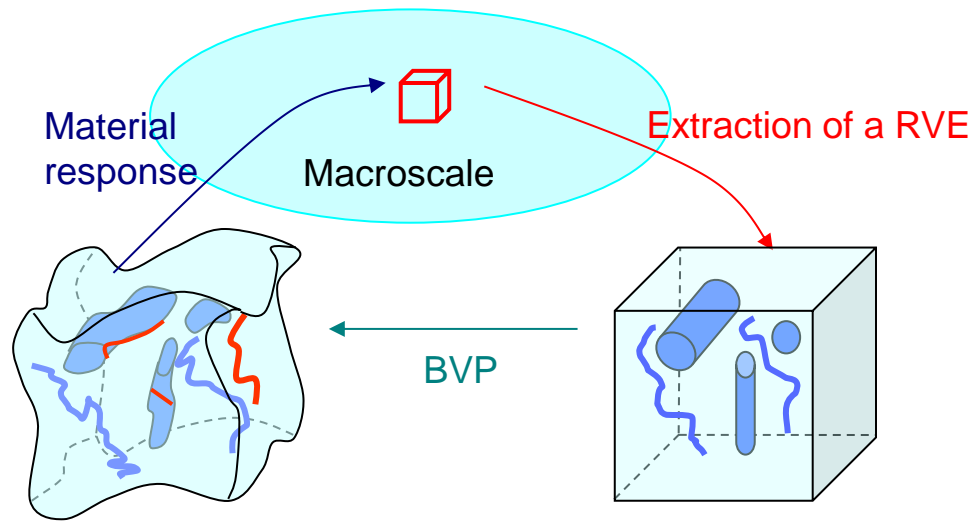
- Limitations of one-scale models
 - Physics at the micro-scale is too complex to be modelled by a simple material law at the macro-scale
 - Engineered materials
 - Multi-physics/scale problems
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 - See next slides
 - Lack of information of the micro-scale state during macro-scale deformations
 - Required to predict failure
 -
 - Effect of the micro-structure on the macro-structure response
 - Fibres distribution ...
 - ...
- Solution: multi-scale models



- Introduction
 - Multi-scale modelling: How?
 - Strain softening issues
- Non-local damage-enhanced mean-field-homogenization
- Computational homogenization for cellular materials
- Other researches
 - DG-based fracture mechanics: blast, fragmentation, ...
- Conclusions

- Principle

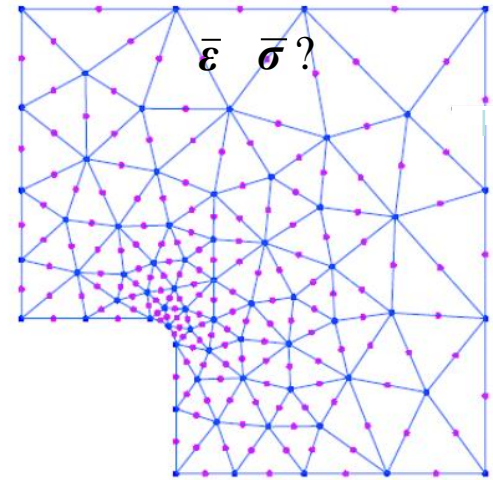
- 2 problems are solved concurrently
 - The macro-scale problem
 - The micro-scale problem (Representative Volume Element)
- Scale transitions coupling the two scales
 - Downscaling: transfer of macro-scale quantities (e.g. strain) to the micro-scale to determine the equilibrium state of the Boundary Value Problem
 - Upscaling: constitutive law (e.g. stress) for the macro-scale problem is determined from the micro-scale problem resolution



Assumptions:

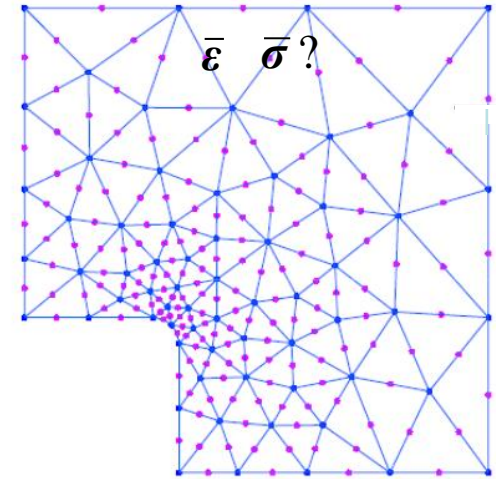
$$L_{\text{macro}} \gg L_{\text{RVE}} \gg L_{\text{micro}}$$

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 - FE model
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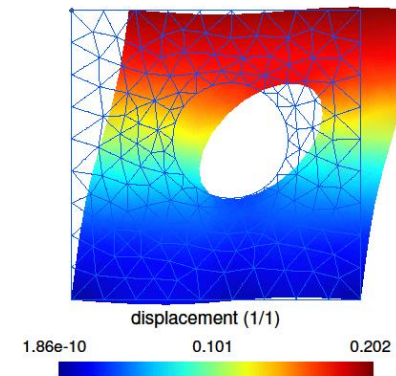


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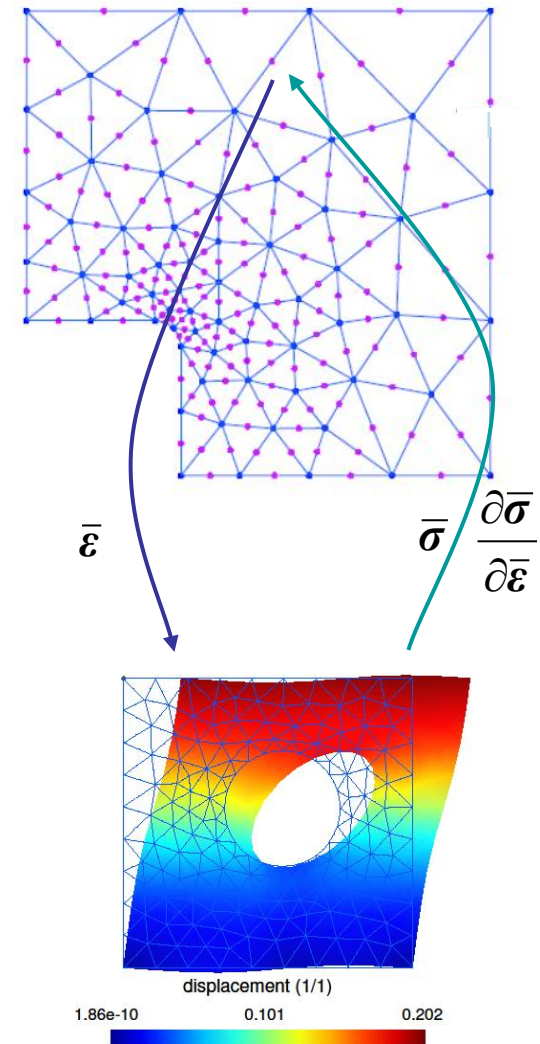


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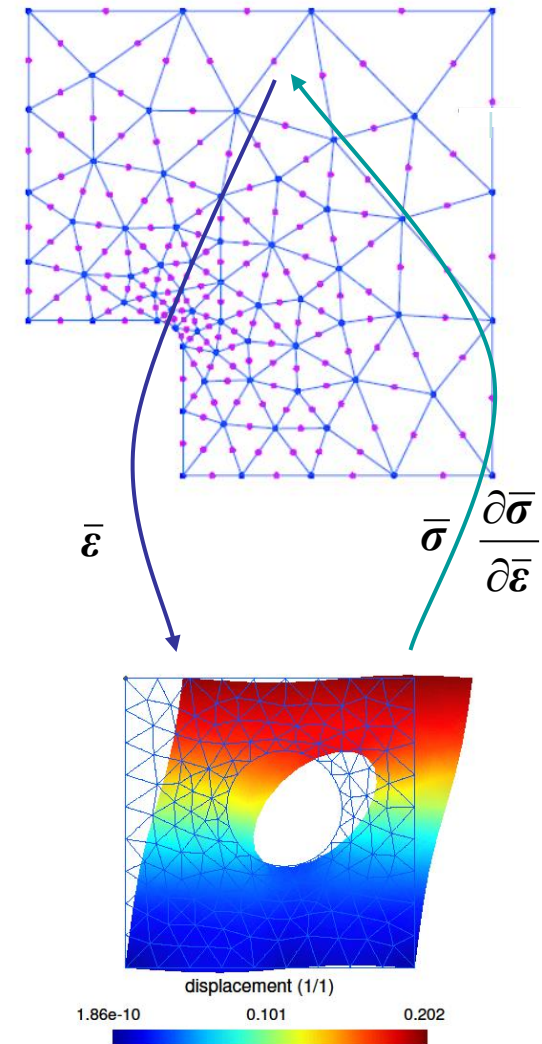
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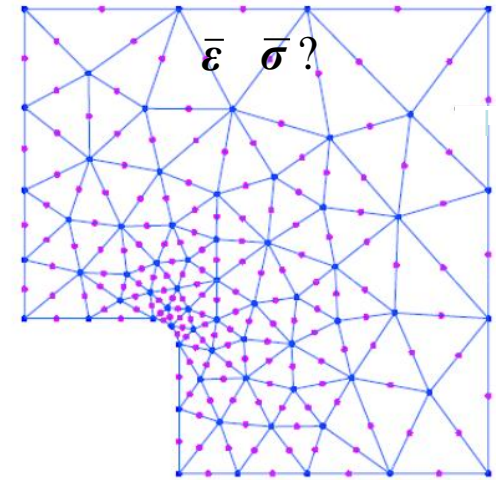
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Ghosh S et al. 95, Kouznetsova et al. 2002, Geers et al. 2010, ...

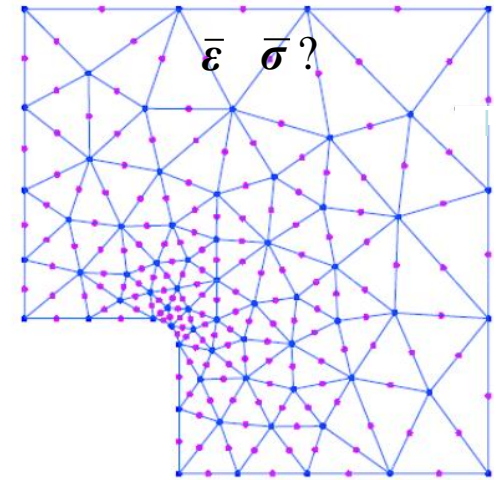
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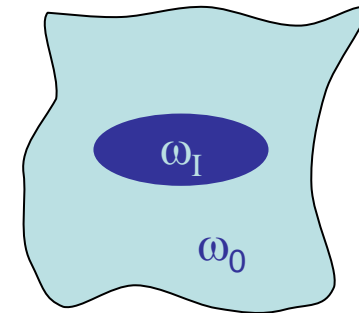
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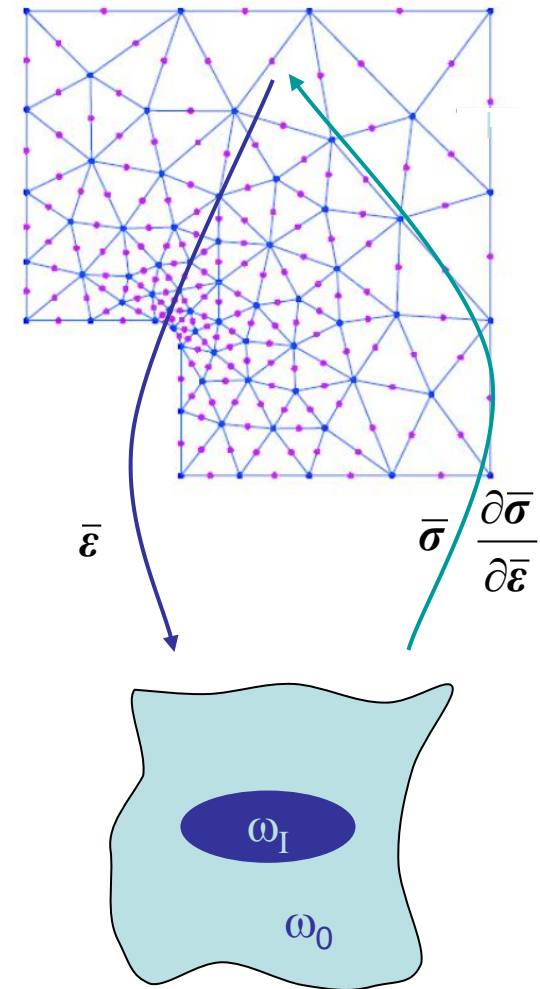
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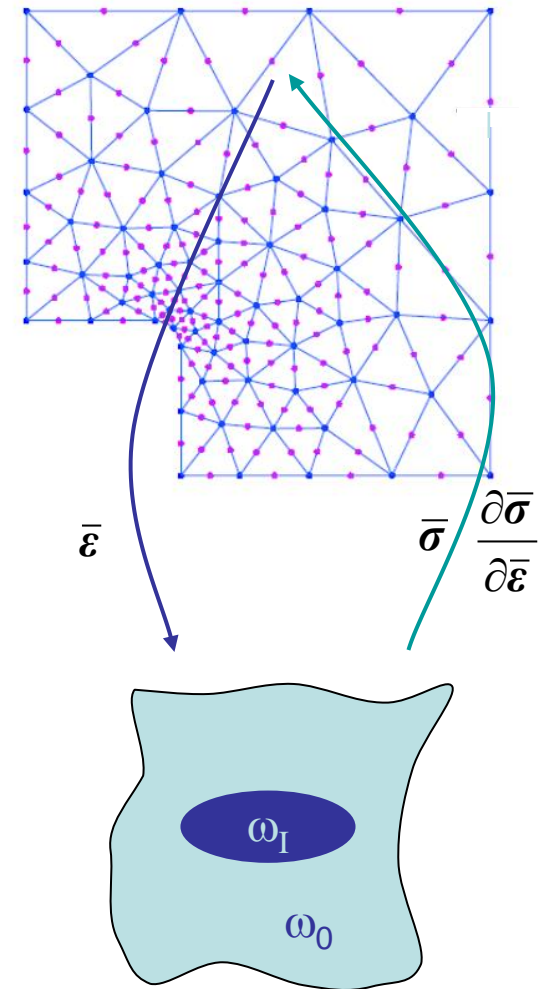
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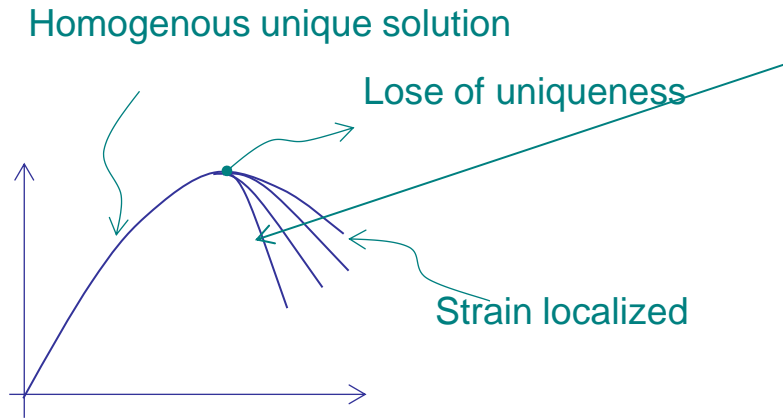
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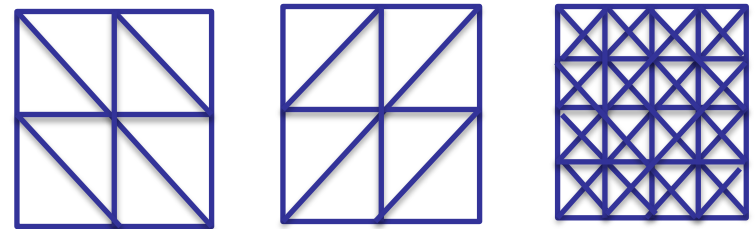
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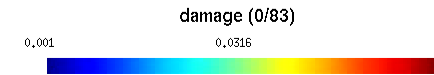
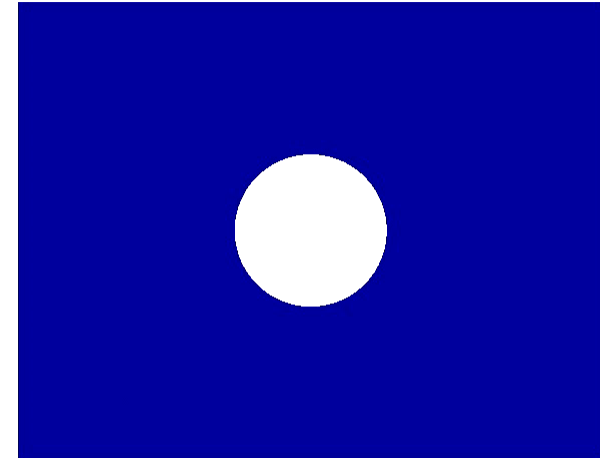


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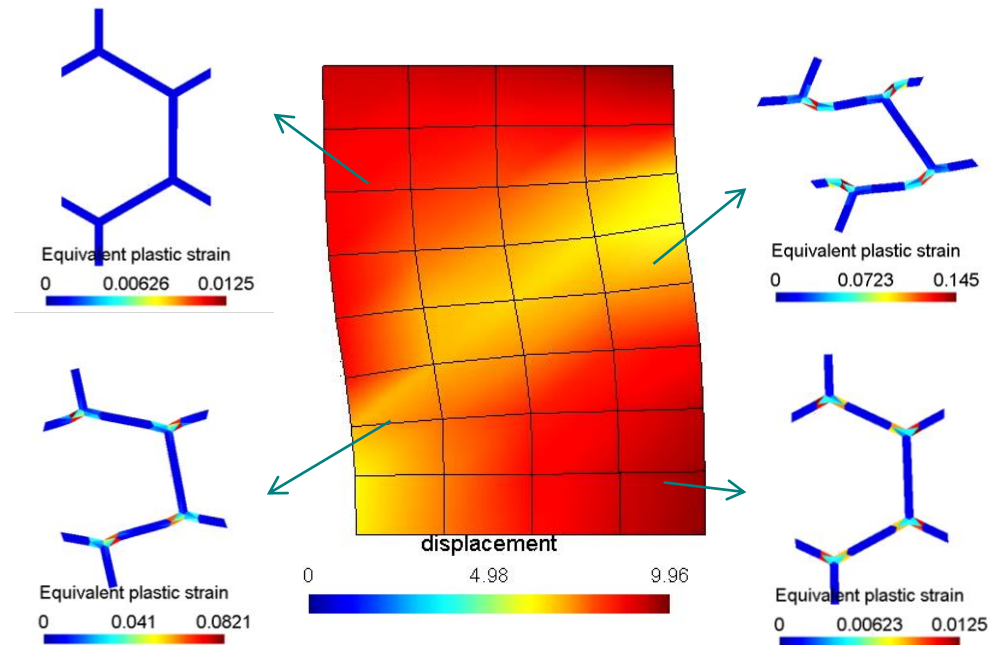
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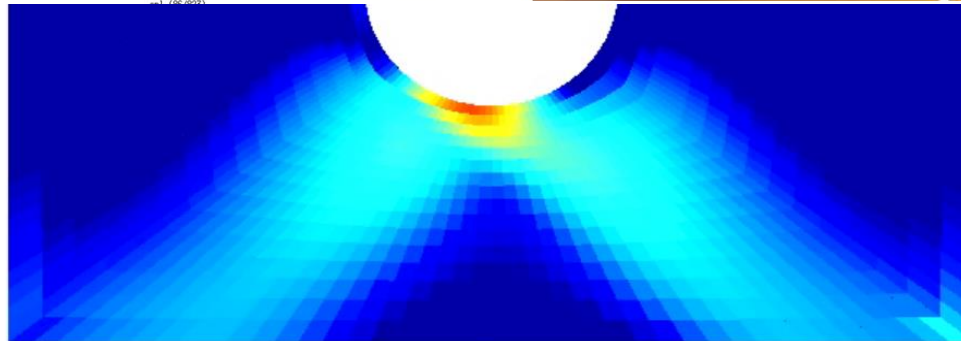
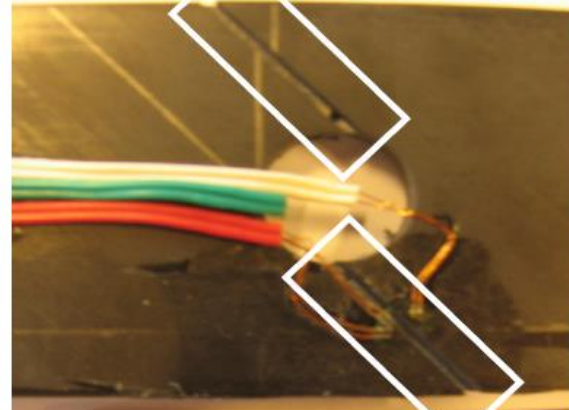
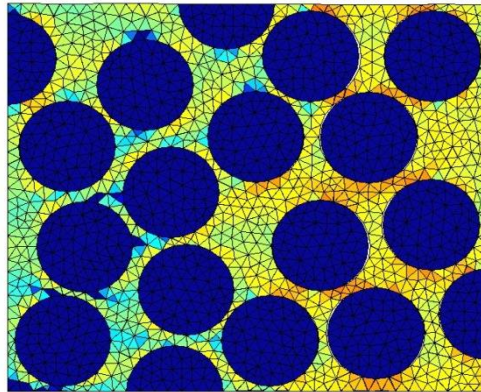
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Non-local damage-enhanced mean-field-homogenization

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- Semi analytical Mean-Field Homogenization

- Based on the averaging of the fields

$$\langle a \rangle = \frac{1}{V} \int_V a(\mathbf{X}) dV$$

- Meso-response

- From the volume ratios ($v_0 + v_I = 1$)

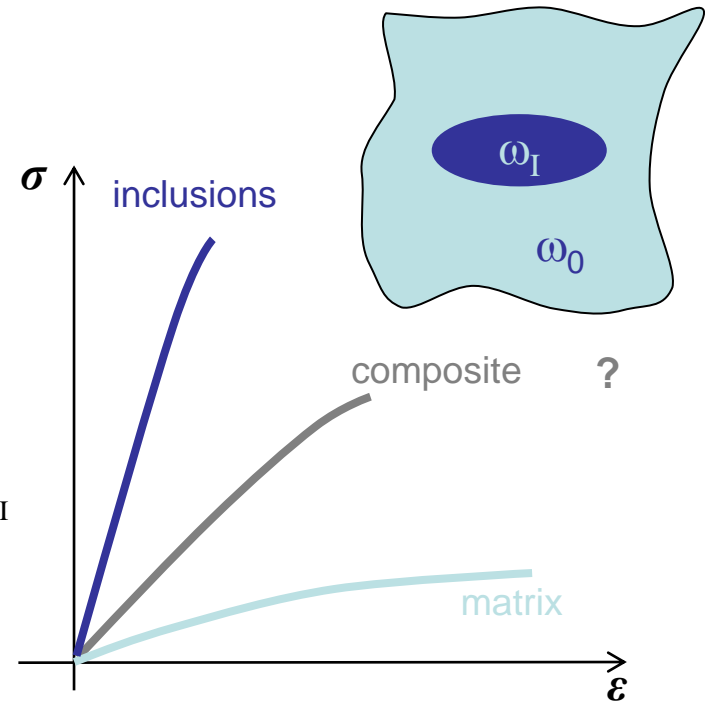
$$\begin{cases} \bar{\sigma} = \langle \sigma \rangle = v_0 \langle \sigma \rangle_{\omega_0} + v_I \langle \sigma \rangle_{\omega_I} = v_0 \sigma_0 + v_I \sigma_I \\ \bar{\varepsilon} = \langle \varepsilon \rangle = v_0 \langle \varepsilon \rangle_{\omega_0} + v_I \langle \varepsilon \rangle_{\omega_I} = v_0 \varepsilon_0 + v_I \varepsilon_I \end{cases}$$

- One more equation required

$$\varepsilon_I = \mathbf{B}^\varepsilon : \varepsilon_0$$

- Difficulty: find the adequate relations

$$\begin{cases} \sigma_I = f(\varepsilon_I) \\ \sigma_0 = f(\varepsilon_0) \\ \varepsilon_I = \mathbf{B}^\varepsilon : \varepsilon_0 \end{cases} \quad \mathbf{B}^\varepsilon ?$$



Non-local damage-enhanced mean-field-homogenization

• Mean-Field Homogenization for different materials

– Linear materials

• Materials behaviours

$$\begin{cases} \sigma_I = \bar{C}_I : \varepsilon_I \\ \sigma_0 = \bar{C}_0 : \varepsilon_0 \end{cases}$$

• Mori-Tanaka assumption $\varepsilon^\infty = \varepsilon_0$

• Use Eshelby tensor

$$\varepsilon_I = B^\varepsilon(I, \bar{C}_0, \bar{C}_I) : \varepsilon_0$$

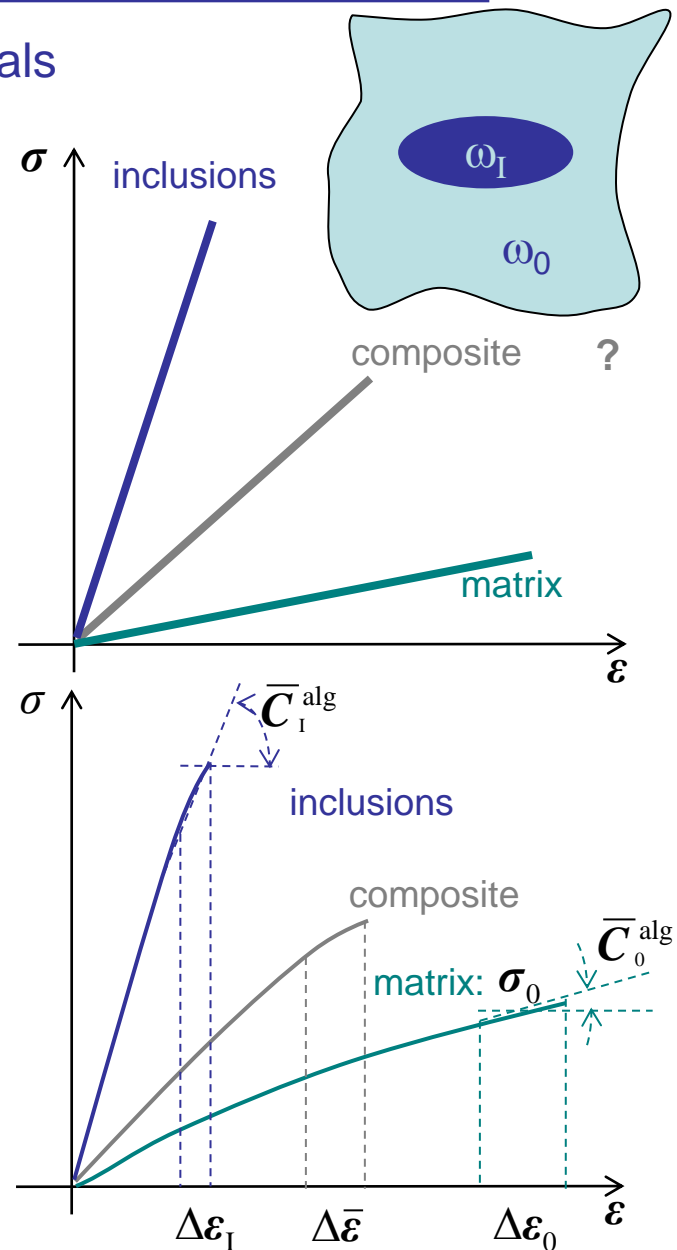
$$\text{with } B^\varepsilon = [I + S : \bar{C}_0^{-1} : (\bar{C}_I - \bar{C}_0)]^{-1}$$

– Non-linear materials

• Define a Linear Comparison Composite

• Common approach: incremental tangent

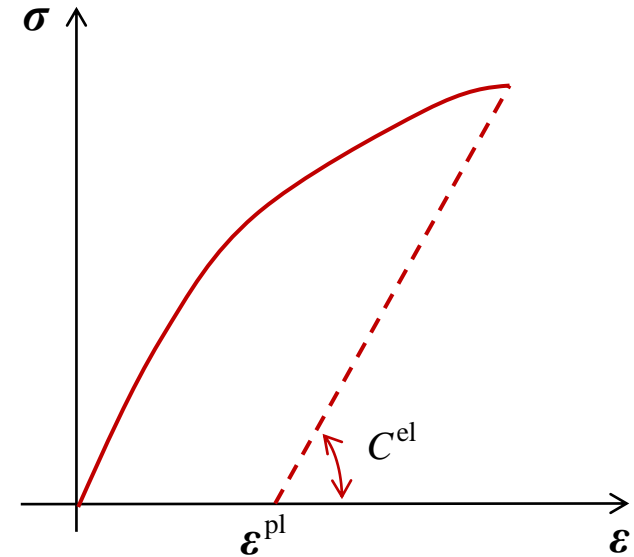
$$\Delta \varepsilon_I = B^\varepsilon(I, \bar{C}_0^{\text{alg}}, \bar{C}_I^{\text{alg}}) : \Delta \varepsilon_0$$



- Material models

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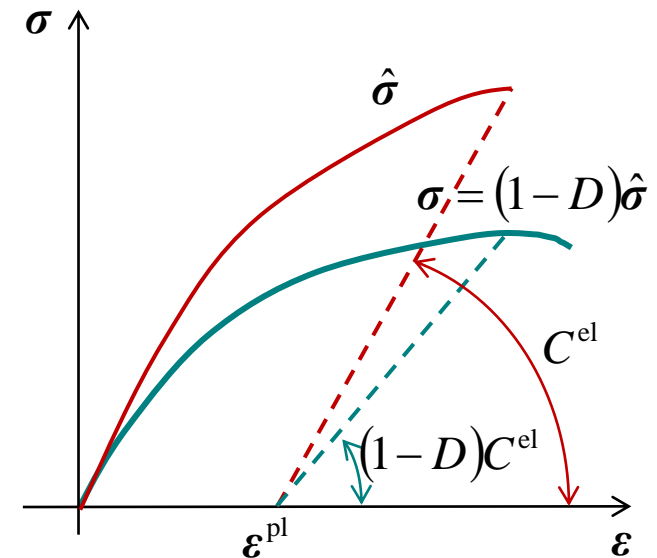
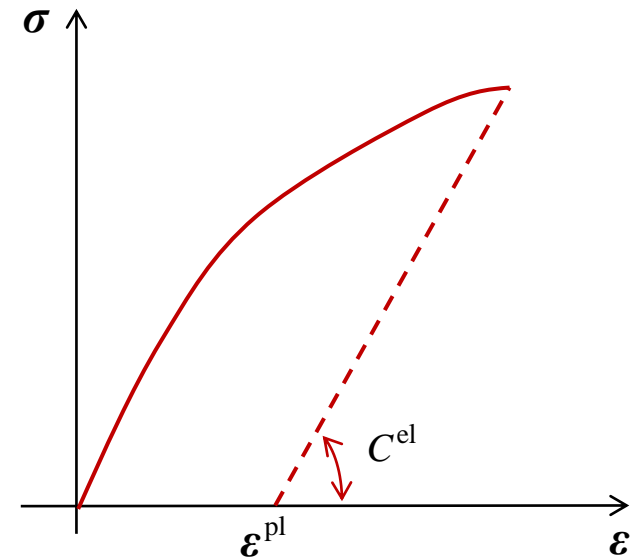
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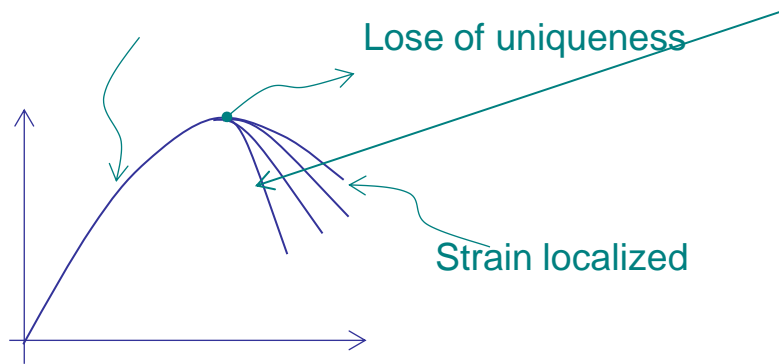


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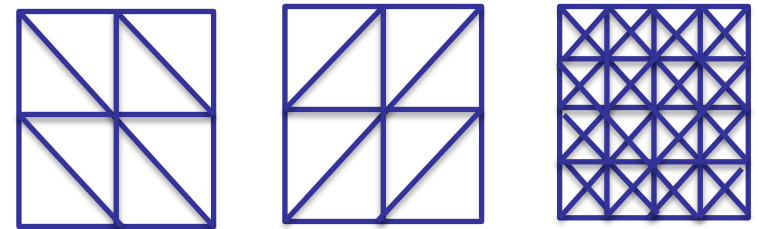
Homogenous unique solution



Lose of uniqueness

Strain localized

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The numerical results change without convergence

- Implicit non-local approach [Peerlings et al 96, Geers et al 97, ...]

- A state variable is replaced by a non-local value reflecting the interaction between neighboring material points

$$\tilde{a}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{V_c} \int_{V_c} a(\mathbf{y}) w(\mathbf{y}; \mathbf{x}) dV$$

- Use Green functions as weight $w(\mathbf{y}; \mathbf{x})$

→ $\tilde{a} - c \nabla^2 \tilde{a} = a$ → New degrees of freedom

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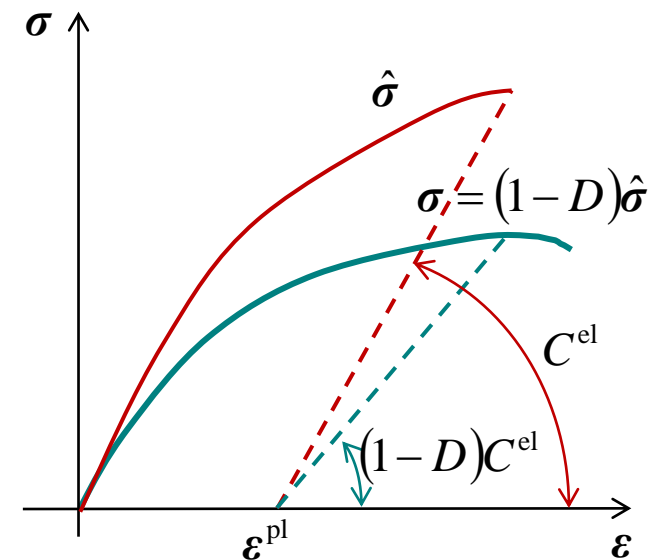
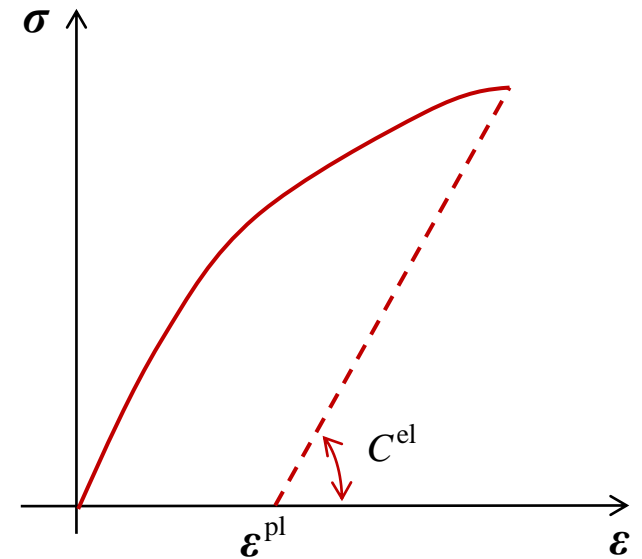
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- Damage evolution $\Delta D = F_D(\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}, \Delta \tilde{p})$
- Anisotropic governing equation $\tilde{p} - \nabla \cdot (\mathbf{c}_g \cdot \nabla \tilde{p}) = p$
- Linearization

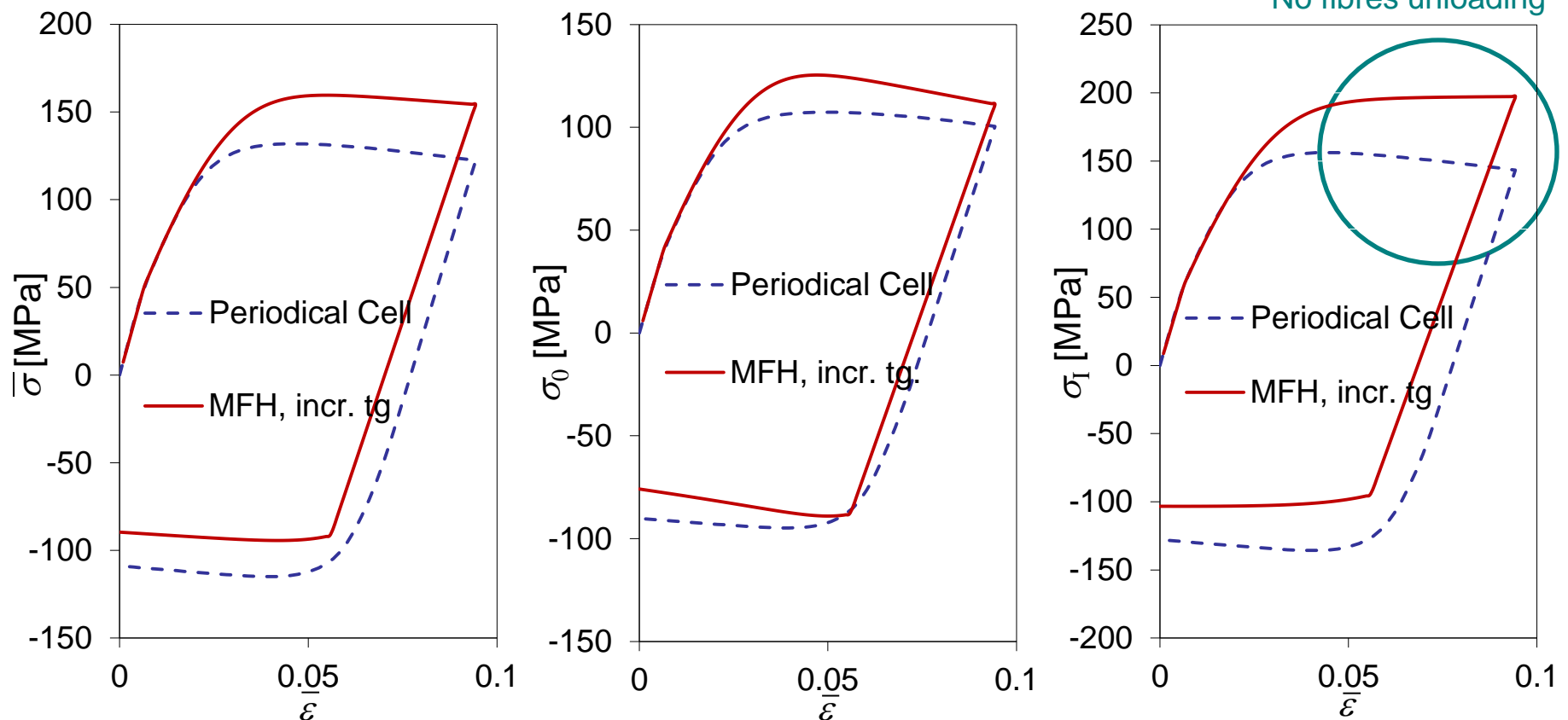
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Non-local damage-enhanced mean-field-homogenization

- Limitation of the incremental tangent method

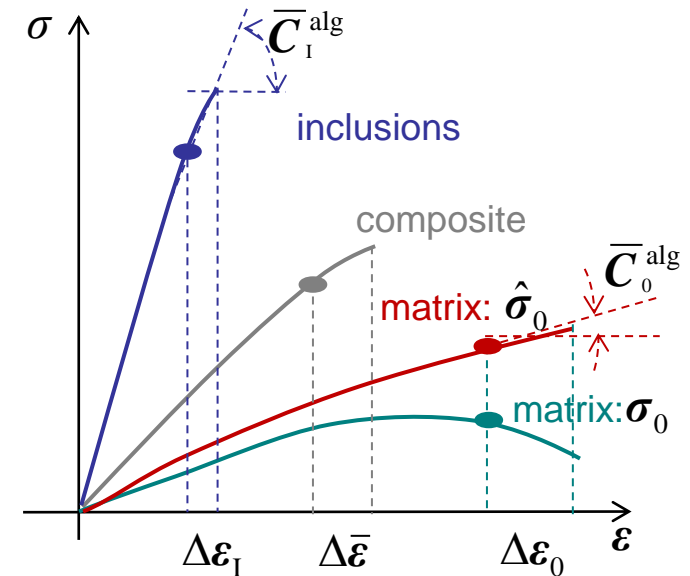
- Fictitious composite
 - 50%-UD fibres
 - Elasto-plastic matrix with damage
- Due to the incremental formalism, stress in fibres cannot decrease during loading



• Problem

- We want the fibres to get unloaded during the matrix damaging process
 - For the incremental-tangent approach

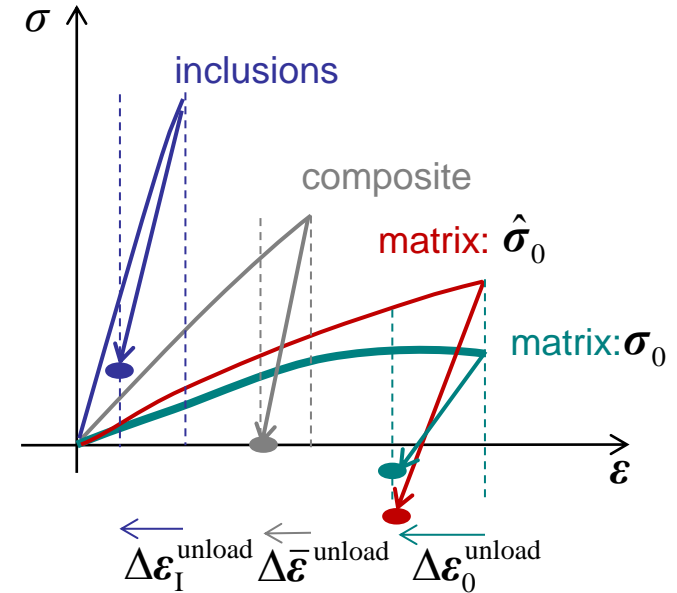
$$\Delta \varepsilon_I = \mathbf{B}^\varepsilon \left(\mathbf{I}, (1-D) \bar{\mathbf{C}}_0^{\text{alg}}, \bar{\mathbf{C}}_I^{\text{alg}} \right) : \Delta \varepsilon_0$$
 - To unload the fibres ($\varepsilon_I < 0$) with such approach would require $\bar{\mathbf{C}}_I^{\text{alg}} < 0$
 - We cannot use the incremental tangent MFH
- We need to define the LCC from another stress state



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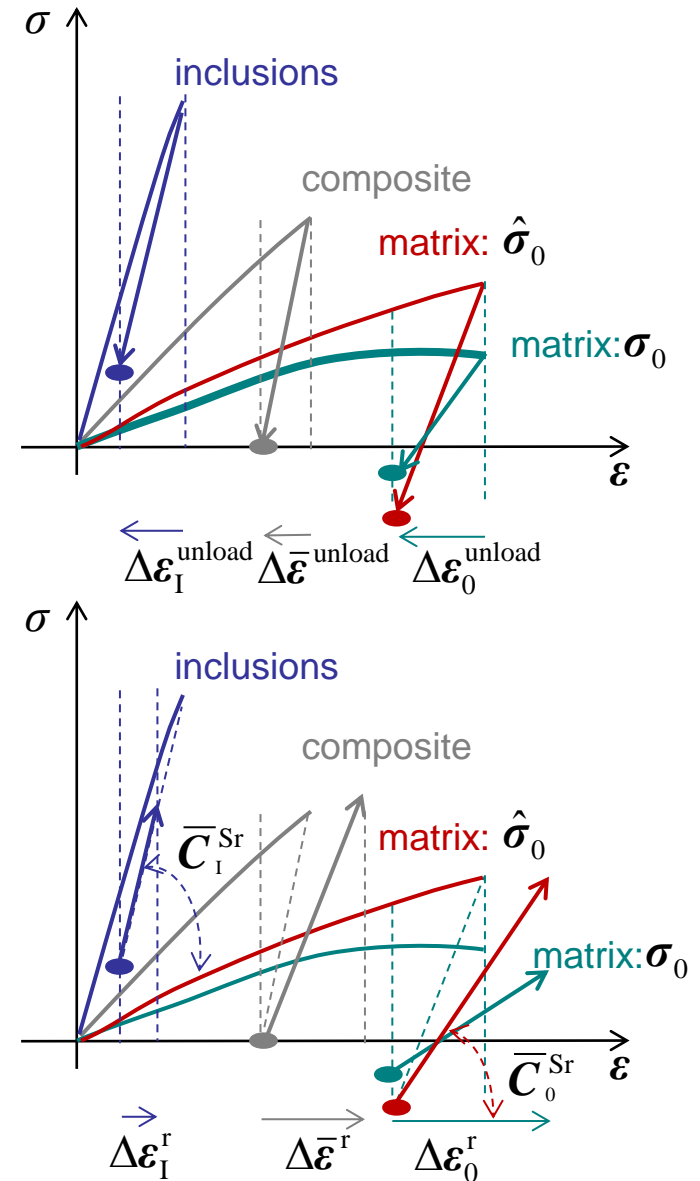
$$\Delta \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{I/0}^r = \Delta \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{I/0} + \Delta \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{I/0}^{\text{unload}}$$

- Use of secant operators

$$\Delta \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_I^r = \mathbf{B}^\varepsilon \left(\mathbf{I}, (1-D) \bar{\mathbf{C}}_0^{\text{Sr}}, \bar{\mathbf{C}}_I^{\text{Sr}} \right) : \Delta \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_0^r$$

- Possibility of have unloading

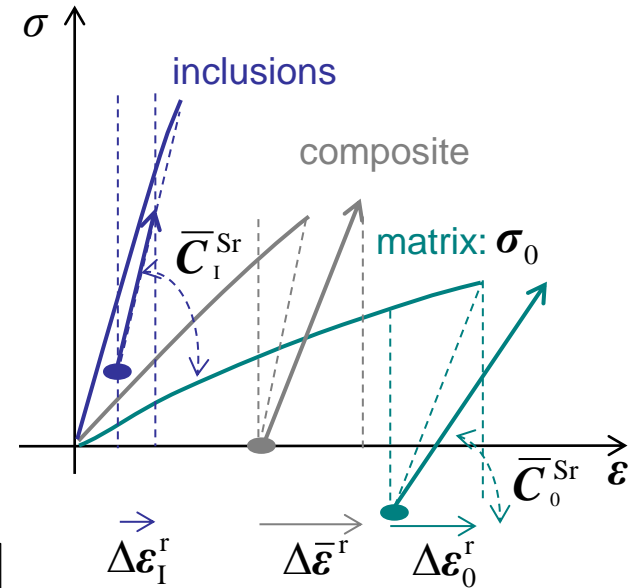
$$\begin{cases} \Delta \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_I^r > 0 \\ \Delta \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_I < 0 \end{cases}$$



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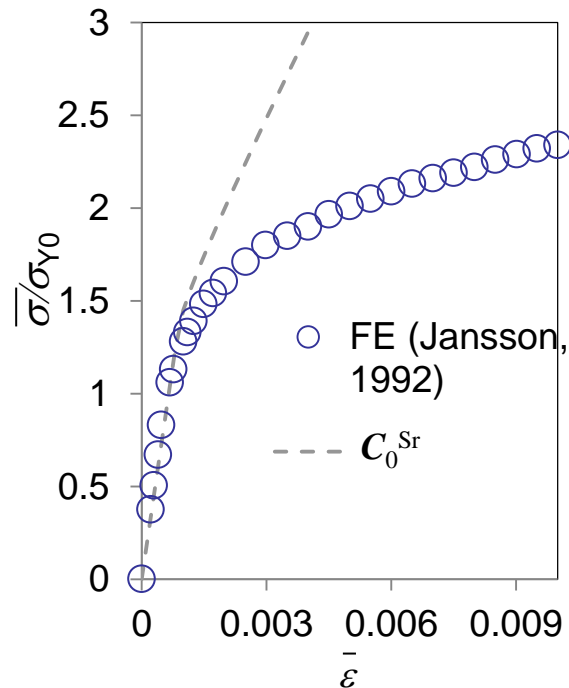
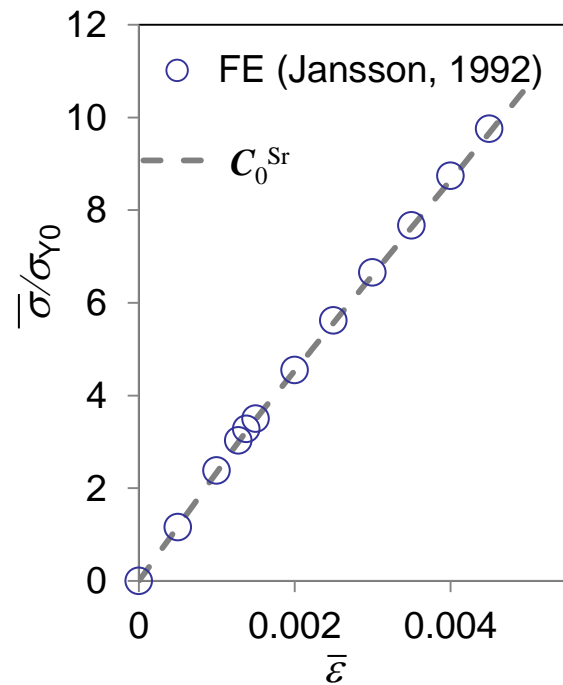
• Zero-incremental-secant method

- Continuous fibres
 - 55 % volume fraction
 - Elastic
- **Elasto-plastic matrix (no damage)**
- For inclusions with high hardening (elastic)
 - Model is too stiff



Longitudinal tension

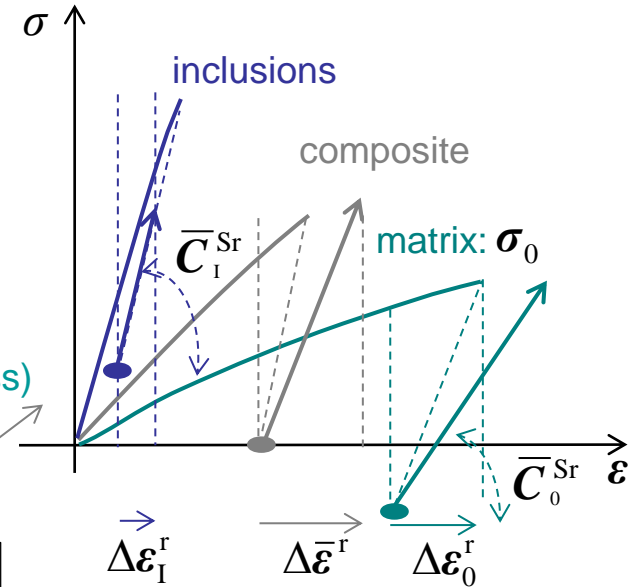
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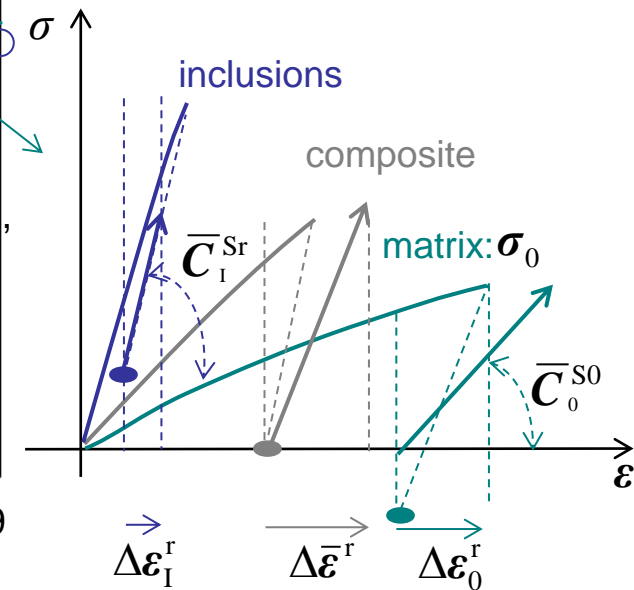
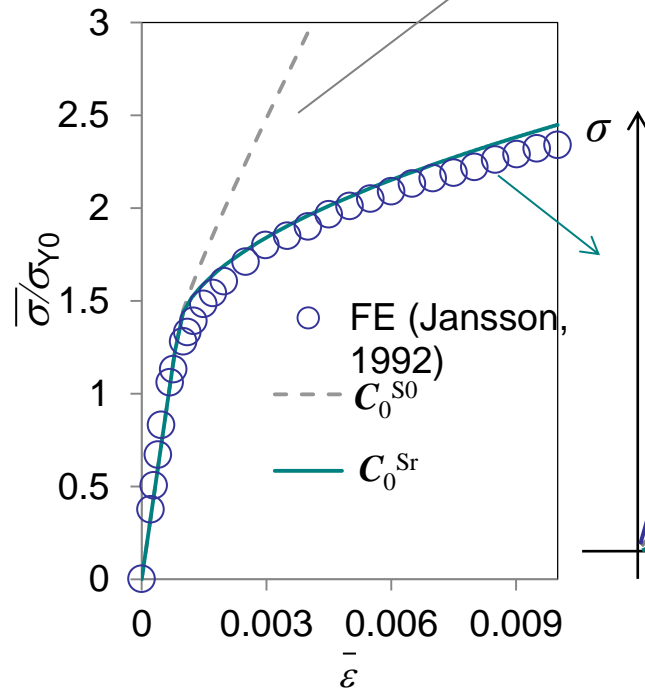
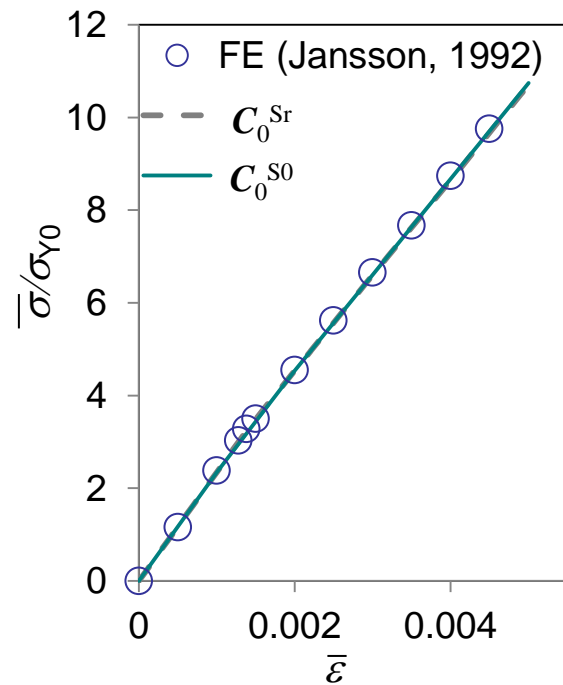
• Zero-incremental-secant method (2)

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- Secant model in the matrix
 - Modified if stiffer inclusions (negative residual stress)



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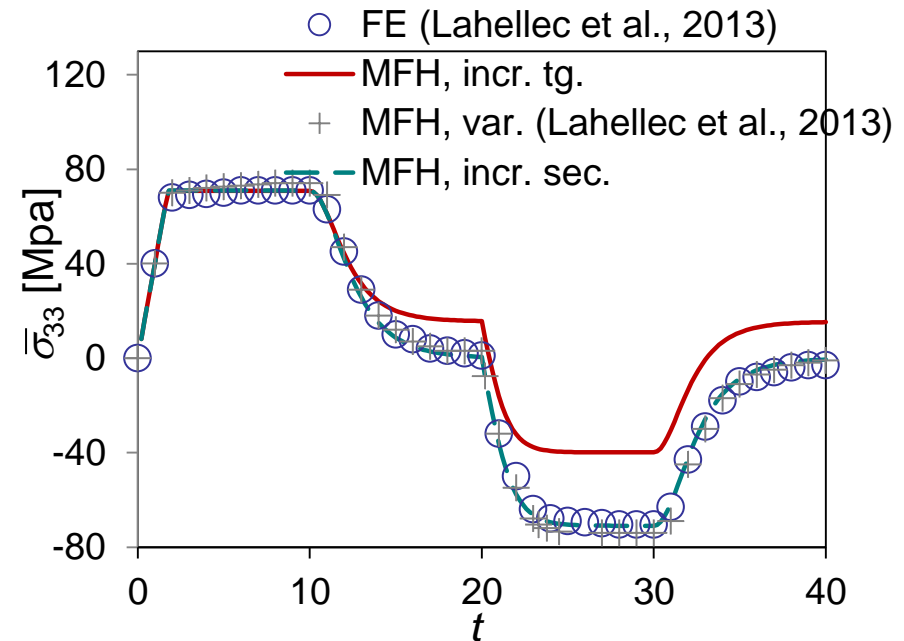
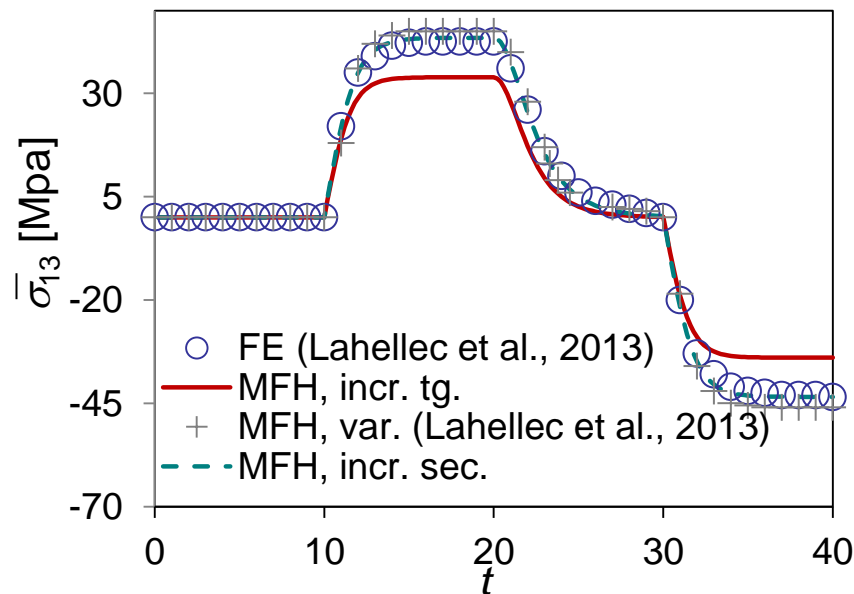
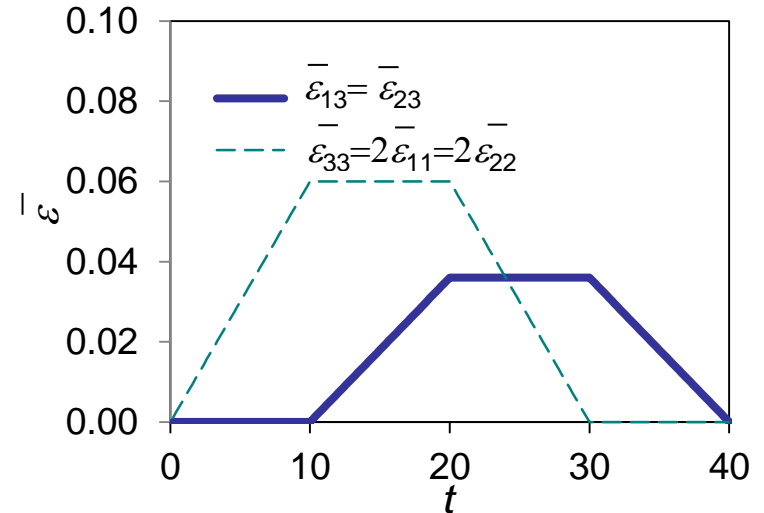
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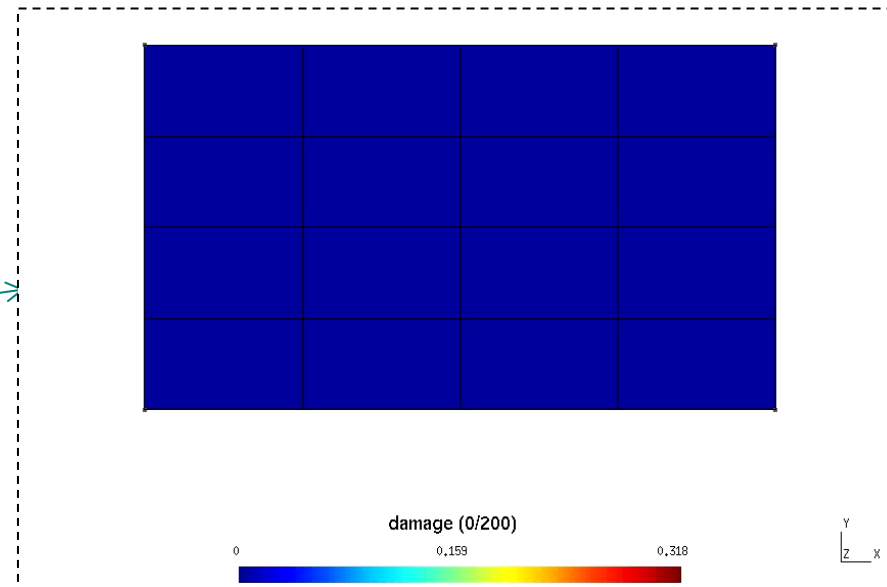
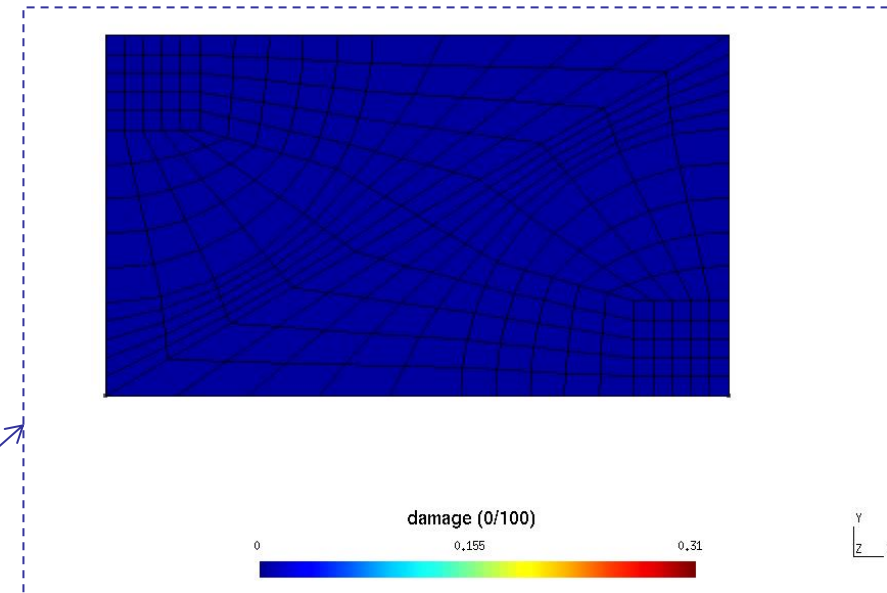
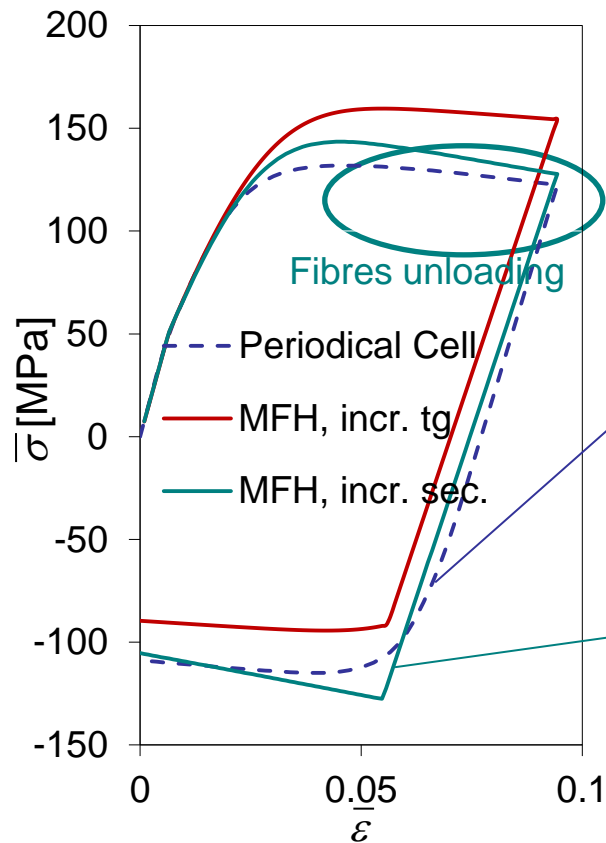
• Verification of the method

- Spherical inclusions
 - 17 % volume fraction
 - Elastic
- Elastic-perfectly-plastic matrix (no damage)
- Non-radial loading



Non-local damage-enhanced mean-field-homogenization

- New results for damage
 - Fictitious composite
 - 50%-UD fibres
 - Elasto-plastic matrix with damage



- Weak formulation

- Strong form

$$\begin{cases} \nabla \cdot \bar{\boldsymbol{\sigma}}^T + \mathbf{f} = \mathbf{0} & \text{for the homogenized composite material} \\ \tilde{p} - \nabla \cdot (\mathbf{c}_g \cdot \nabla \tilde{p}) = p & \text{for the matrix phase} \end{cases}$$

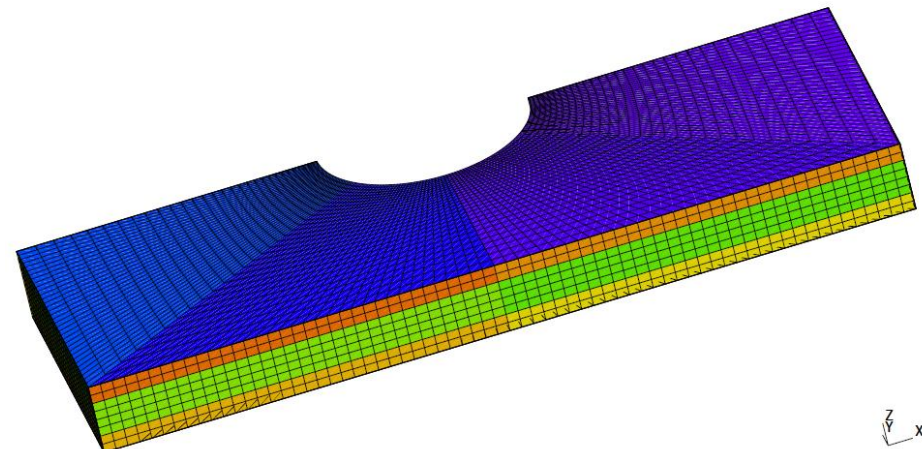
- Boundary conditions

$$\begin{cases} \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{n} = \mathbf{T} \\ \mathbf{n} \cdot (\mathbf{c}_g \cdot \nabla \tilde{p}) = 0 \end{cases}$$

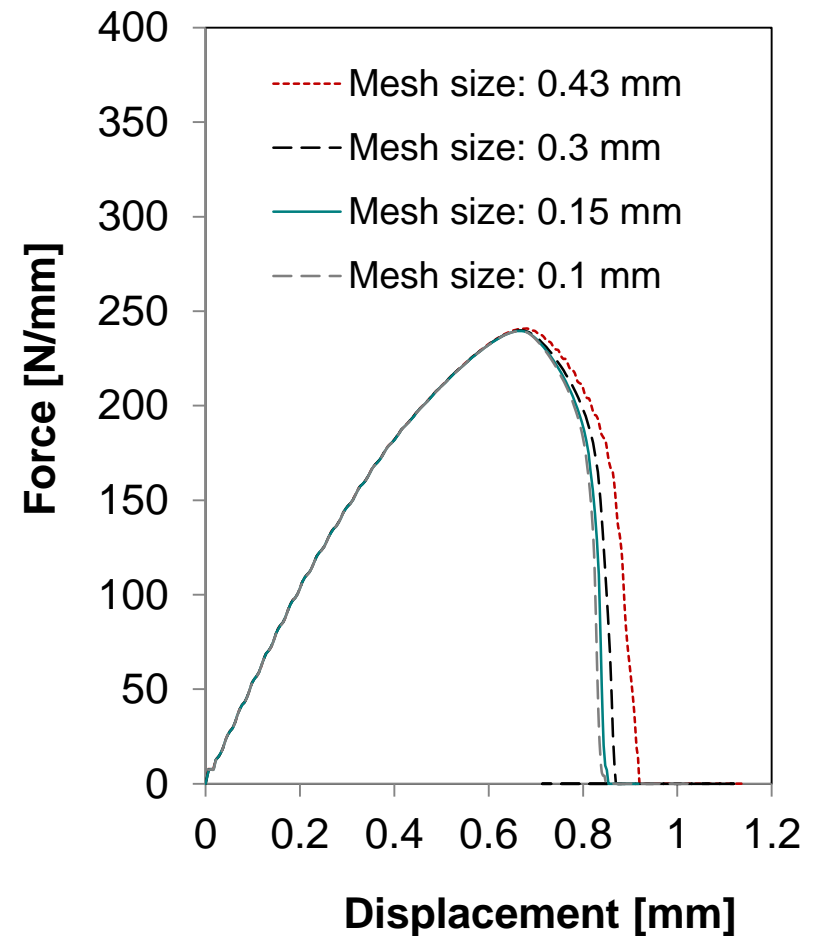
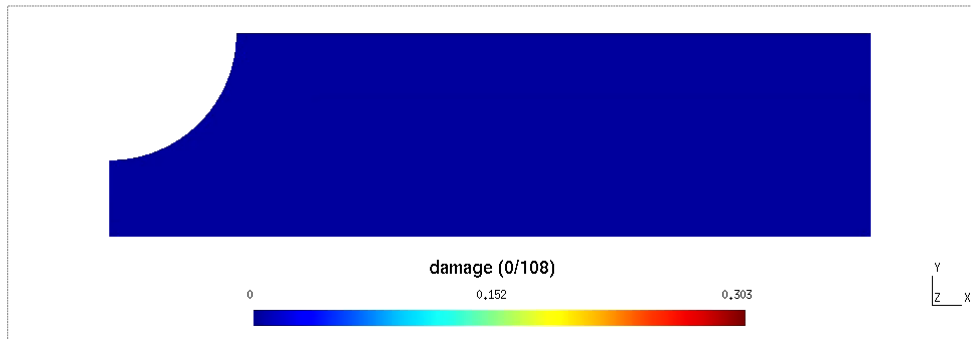
- Finite-element discretization

$$\begin{cases} \tilde{p} = N_{\tilde{p}}^a \tilde{\mathbf{p}}^a \\ \mathbf{u} = N_u^a \mathbf{u}^a \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{K}_{uu} & \mathbf{K}_{u\tilde{p}} \\ \mathbf{K}_{\tilde{p}u} & \mathbf{K}_{\tilde{p}\tilde{p}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} d\mathbf{u} \\ d\tilde{\mathbf{p}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{F}_{\text{ext}} - \mathbf{F}_{\text{int}} \\ \mathbf{F}_p - \mathbf{F}_{\tilde{p}} \end{bmatrix}$$

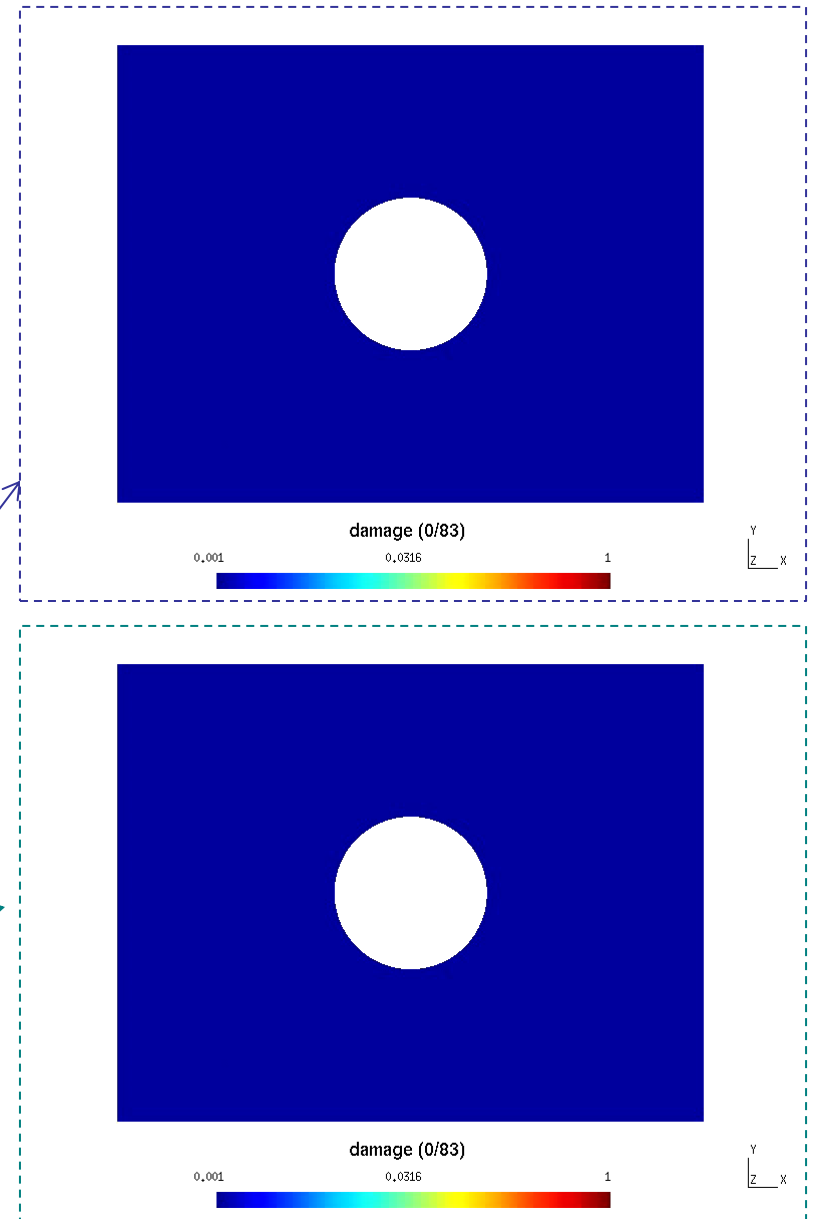
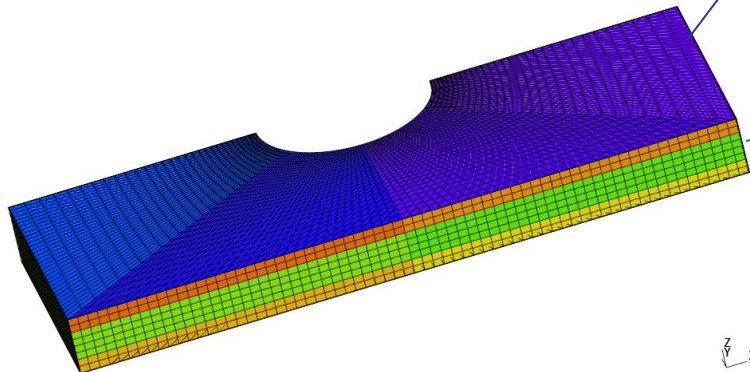
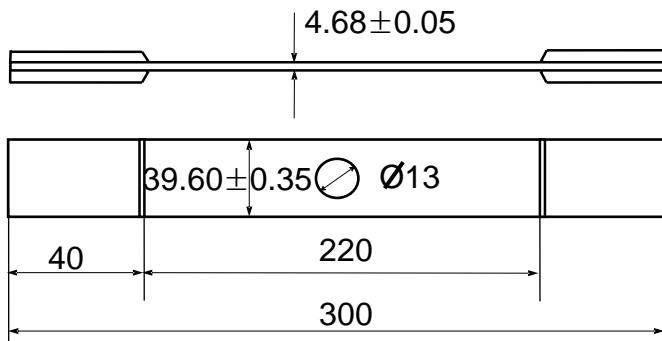


- Mesh-size effect
 - Fictitious composite
 - 30%-UD fibres
 - Elasto-plastic matrix with damage
 - Notched ply

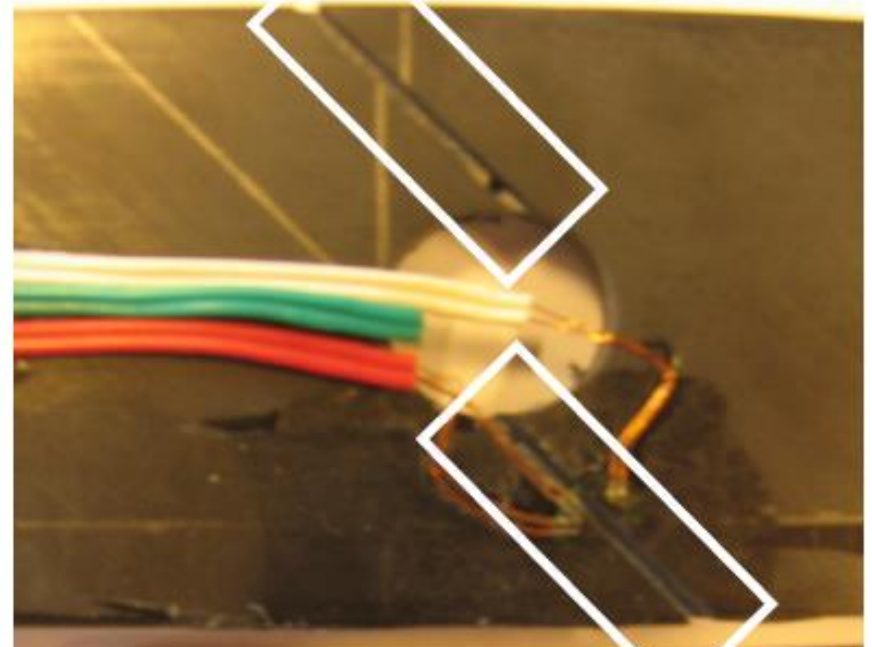
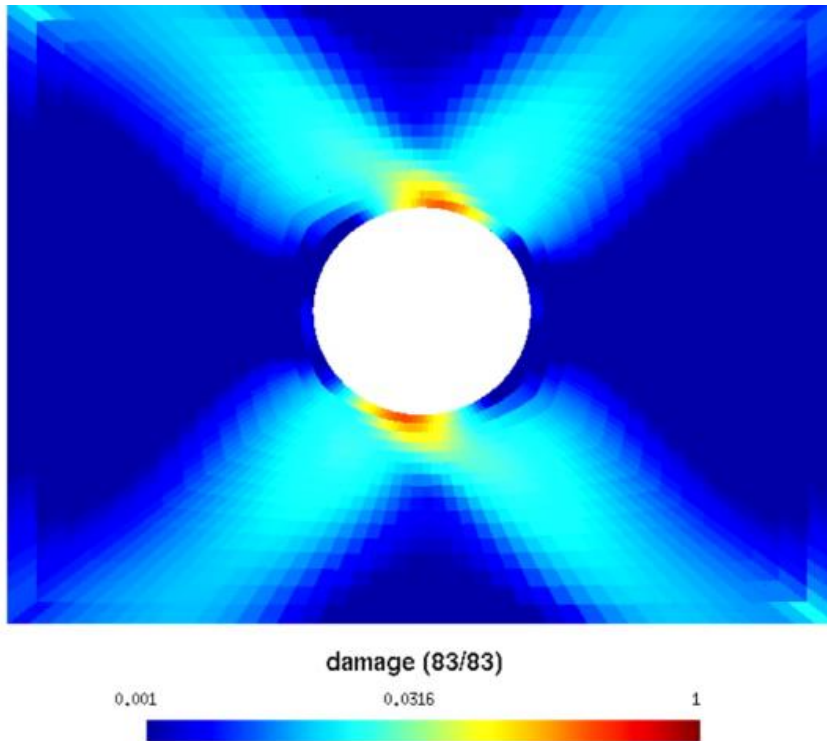


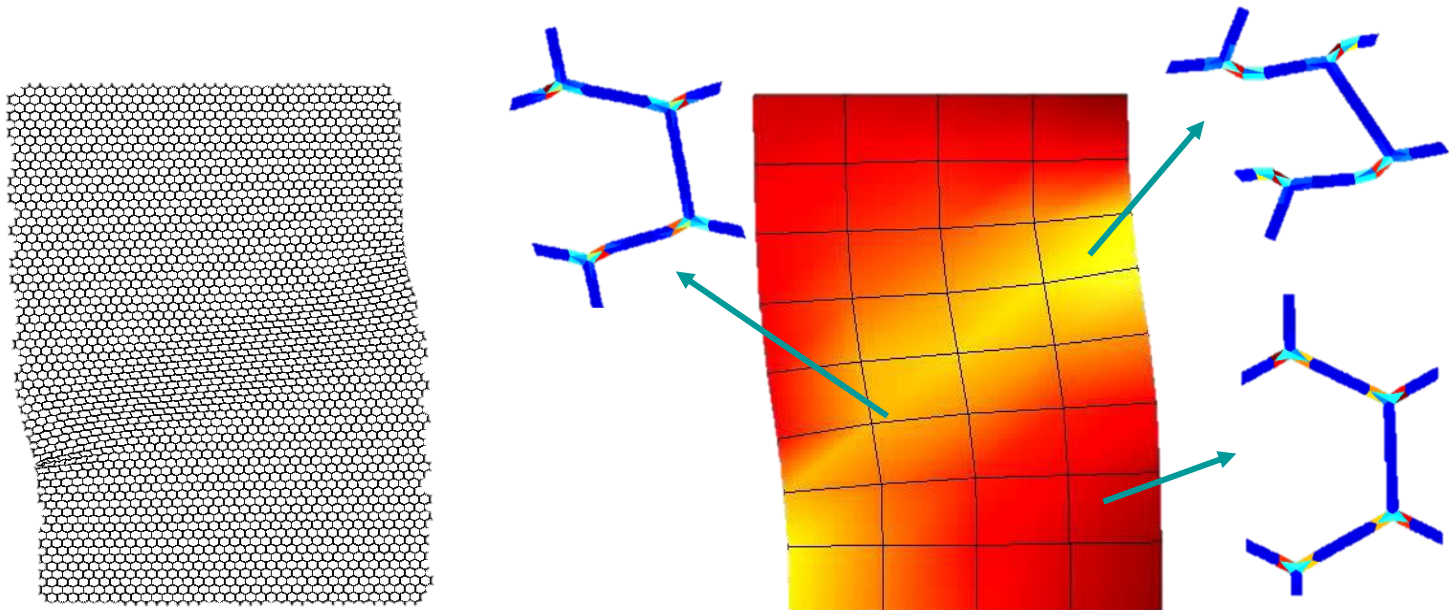
Non-local damage-enhanced mean-field-homogenization

- Laminate plate with hole
 - Carbon-fibres reinforced epoxy
 - 60%-UD fibres
 - Elasto-plastic matrix with damage
 - $[-45_2/45_2]_S$ stacking sequence



- Laminate plate with hole (2)
 - Carbon-fibres reinforced epoxy
 - 60%-UD fibres
 - Elasto-plastic matrix with damage
 - $[-45_2/45_2]_S$ stacking sequence





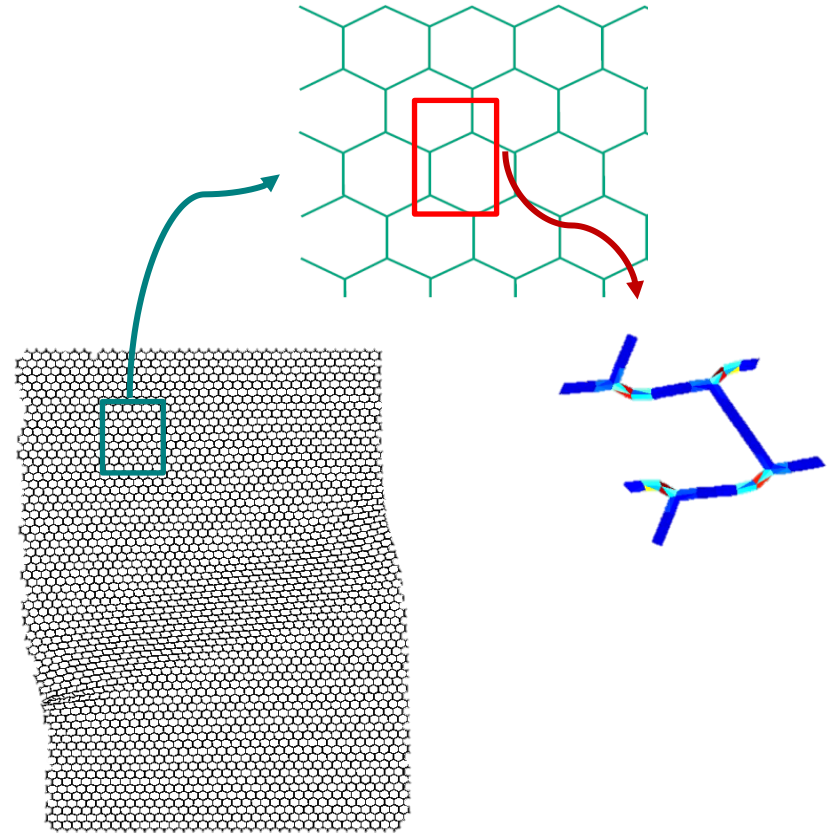
Computational homogenization for cellular materials

- Challenges

- Micro-structure

- Not perfect with non periodic mesh

➡ How to constrain the periodic boundary conditions?



- Challenges

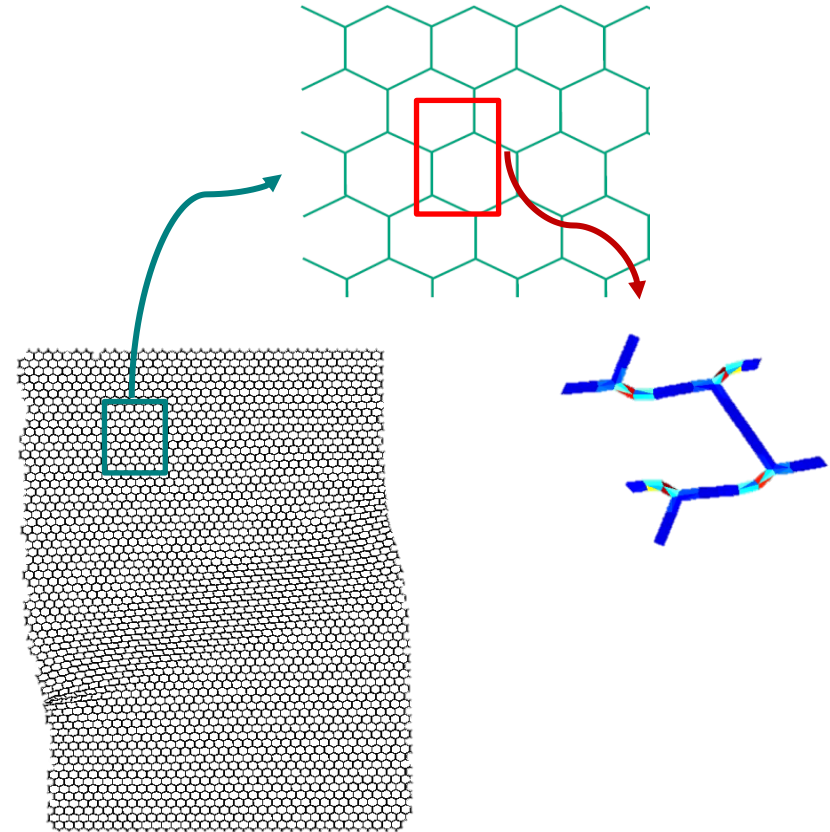
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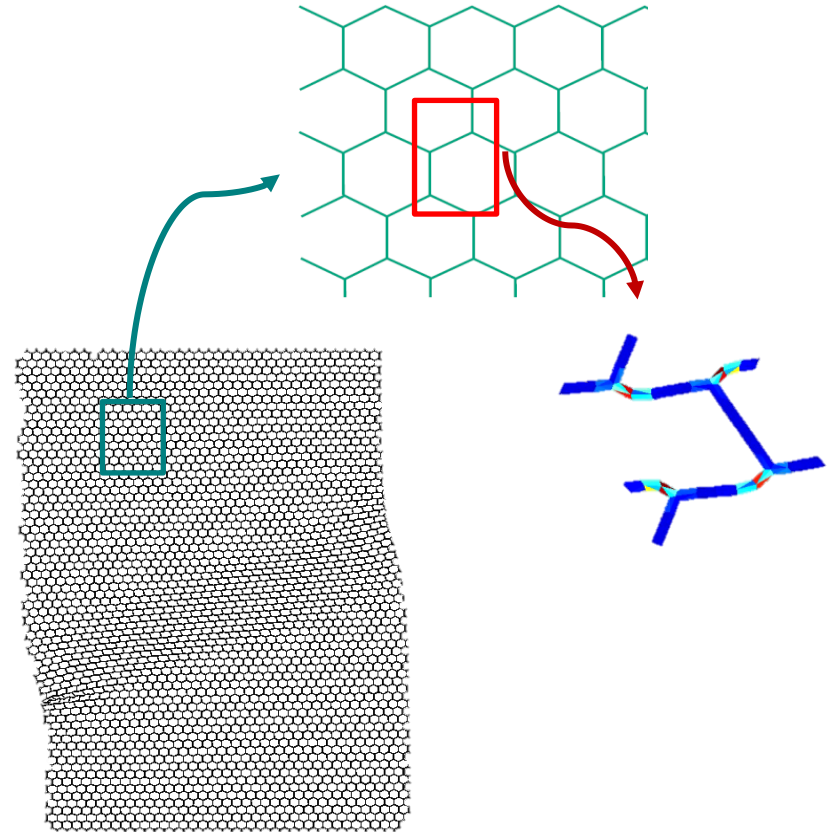
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- Homogenized tangent not always elliptic
 - Localization bands

➡ How can we recover the solution unicity at the macro-scale?



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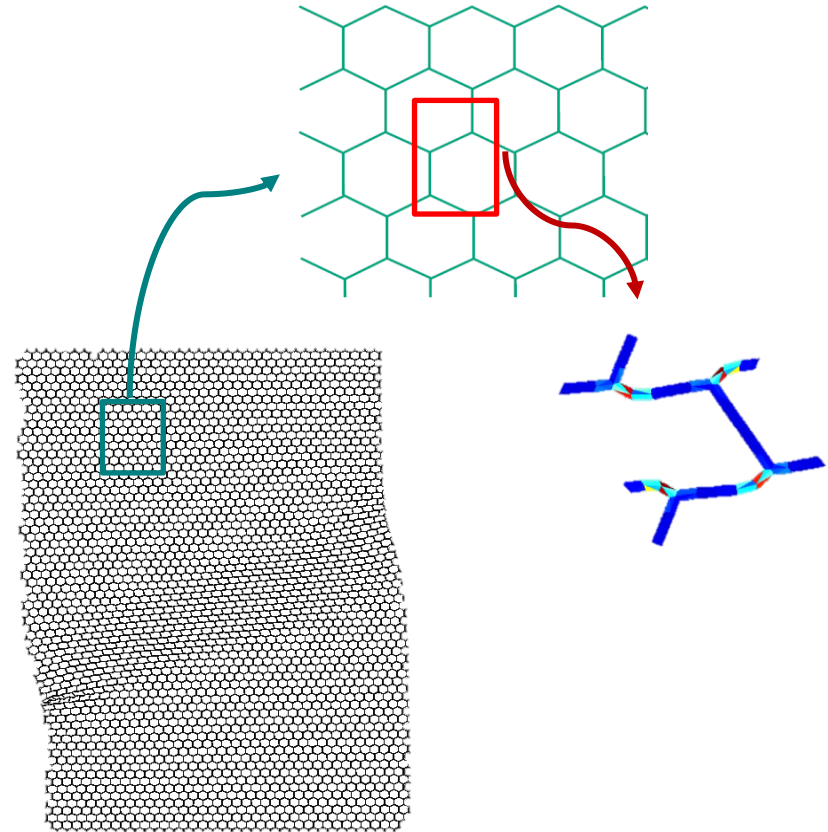
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- Macro-scale

- Localization bands

➡ How to remain computationally efficient

➡ How to capture the instability?



- Recover solution unicity: second-order FE²

- Macro-scale

- High-order Strain-Gradient formulation

$$\bar{\mathbf{P}}(\bar{\mathbf{X}}) \cdot \nabla_0 - \bar{\mathbf{Q}}(\bar{\mathbf{X}}): (\nabla_0 \otimes \nabla_0) = 0$$

- Partitioned mesh (//)

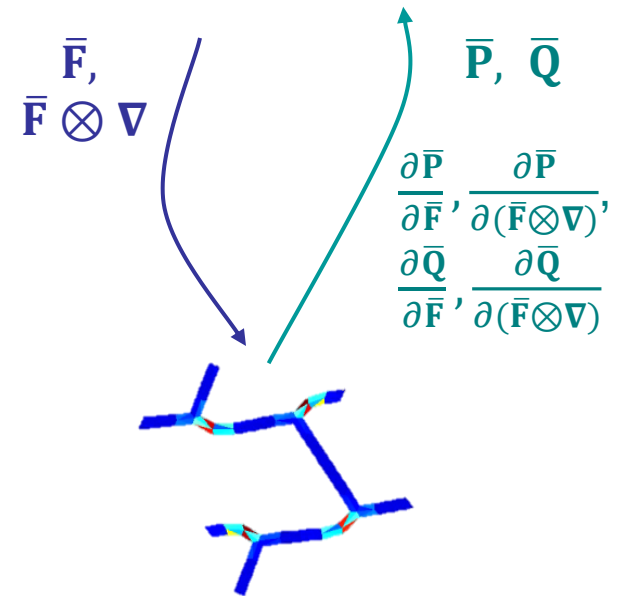
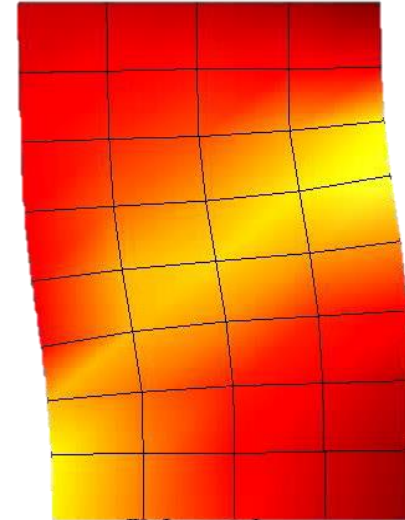
- Transition

- Gauss points on different processors
 - Each Gauss point is associated to one mesh and one solver

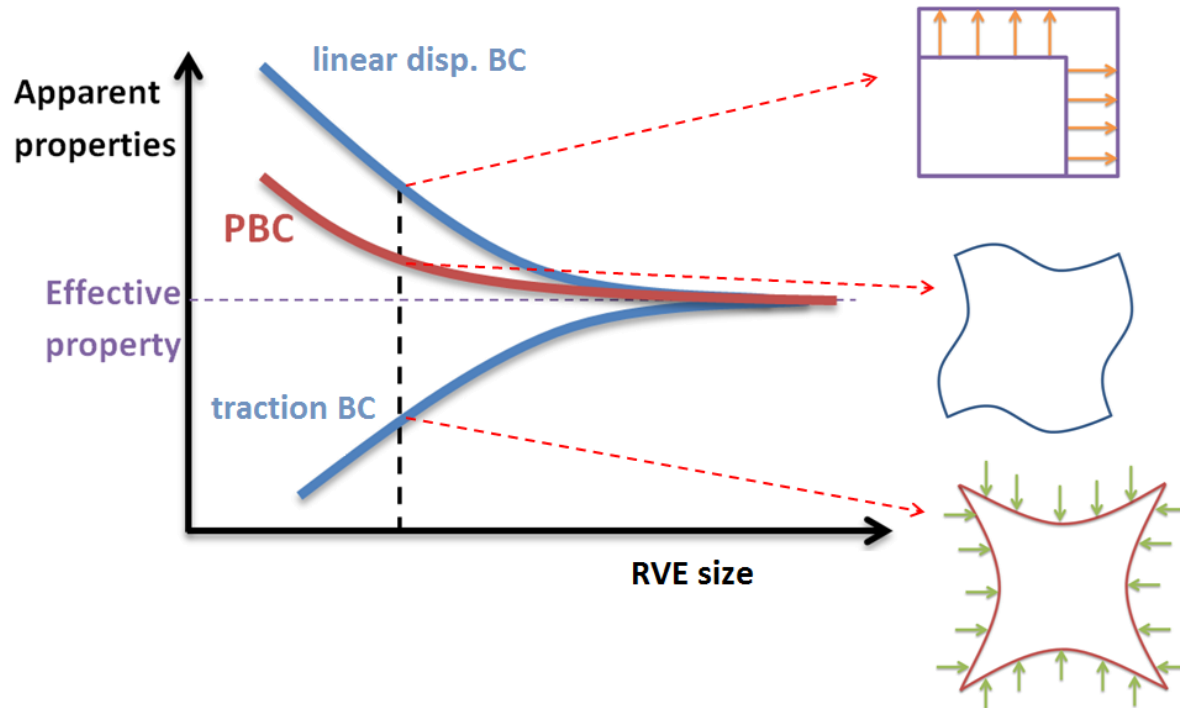
- Micro-scale

- Usual continuum

$$\mathbf{P}(\mathbf{X}) \cdot \nabla_0 = 0$$



- Micro-scale periodic boundary conditions
 - Convergence in terms of RVE size



- Periodic boundary conditions is the optimum choice for periodic structures
- Periodic boundary conditions remain the optimum choice for non-periodic structures

- Micro-scale periodic boundary conditions (2)

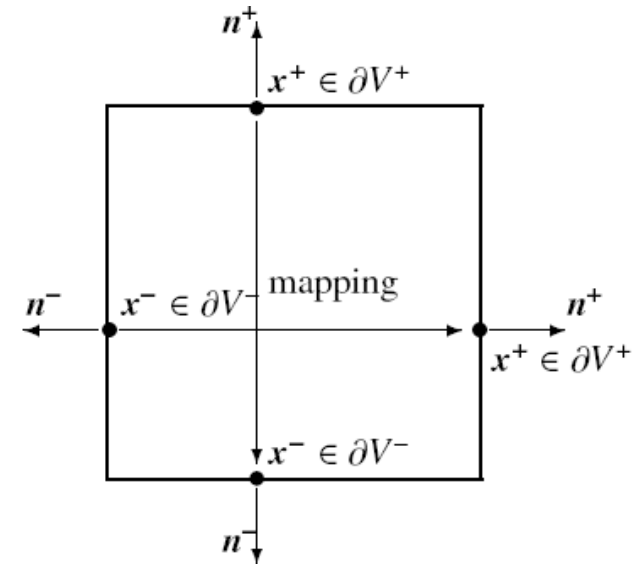
- Defined from the fluctuation field

$$\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{u} - (\bar{\mathbf{F}} - \mathbf{I}) \cdot \mathbf{X} + \frac{1}{2} (\bar{\mathbf{F}} \otimes \nabla_0) : (\mathbf{X} \otimes \mathbf{X})$$

- Stated on opposite RVE sizes

$$\begin{cases} \mathbf{w}(\mathbf{X}^+) = \mathbf{w}(\mathbf{X}^-) \\ \int_{\partial V^-} \mathbf{w}(\mathbf{X}) d\partial V = \mathbf{0} \end{cases}$$

- Can be achieved by constraining opposite nodes

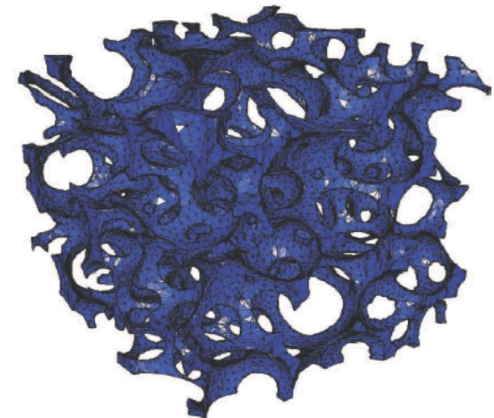


- Foamed materials

- Usually random meshes
- Important voids on the boundaries

- Honeycomb structures

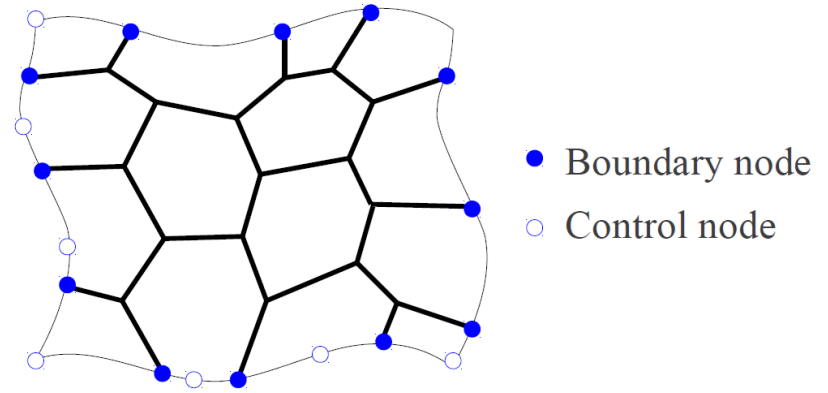
- Not periodic due to the imperfections



- Micro-scale periodic boundary conditions (2)

- New interpolant method

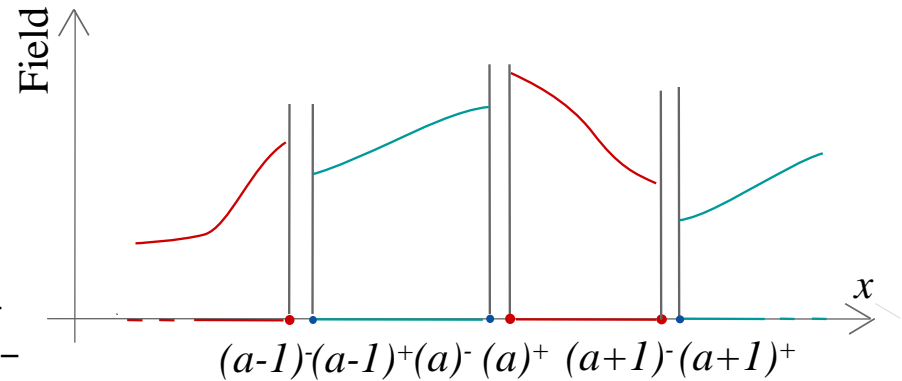
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{w}(\mathbf{X}^-) = \sum_k \mathbf{N}(\mathbf{X}) \mathbf{w}^k \\ \mathbf{w}(\mathbf{X}^+) = \sum_k \mathbf{N}(\mathbf{X}) \mathbf{w}^k \\ \int_{\partial V^-} \left(\sum_k \mathbf{N}(\mathbf{X}) \mathbf{w}^k \right) d\partial V = \mathbf{0} \end{array} \right.$$



- Use of Lagrange, cubic spline .. interpolations
- Fits for
 - Arbitrary meshes
 - Important voids on the RVE sides
- Results in new constraints in terms of the boundary and control nodes displacements

$$\tilde{\mathcal{C}} \tilde{\mathbf{u}}_b - \mathbf{g}(\bar{\mathbf{F}}, \bar{\mathbf{F}} \otimes \nabla_0) = 0$$

- Discontinuous Galerkin (DG) implementation of the second order continuum
 - Finite-element discretization
 - Same **discontinuous** polynomial approximations for the
 - Test** functions φ_h and
 - Trial** functions $\delta\varphi$
 - Definition of operators on the interface trace:
 - Jump operator:**
$$[[\cdot]] = \frac{\cdot^+ - \cdot^-}{\cdot^+ + \cdot^-}$$
 - Mean operator:**
$$\langle \cdot \rangle = \frac{\cdot^+ + \cdot^-}{2}$$
 - Continuity is weakly enforced, such that the method
 - Is consistent
 - Is stable
 - Has the optimal convergence rate
 - Can be used to weakly enforce higher discontinuities



- Second-order FE2 method

- Macro-scale second order continuum

$$\bar{\mathbf{P}}(\bar{\mathbf{X}}) \cdot \nabla_0 - \bar{\mathbf{Q}}(\bar{\mathbf{X}}) : (\nabla_0 \otimes \nabla_0) = 0$$

- Requires \mathcal{C}^1 shape functions on the mesh
- The \mathcal{C}^1 can be weakly enforced using the DG method

$$a(\bar{\mathbf{u}}, \delta \bar{\mathbf{u}}) = a^{\text{bulk}}(\bar{\mathbf{u}}, \delta \bar{\mathbf{u}}) + a^{\text{PI}}(\bar{\mathbf{u}}, \delta \bar{\mathbf{u}}) + a^{\text{QI}}(\bar{\mathbf{u}}, \delta \bar{\mathbf{u}}) = b(\delta \bar{\mathbf{u}})$$

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- Usual volume terms

$$a^{\text{bulk}}(\bar{\mathbf{u}}, \delta \bar{\mathbf{u}}) = \int_{\bar{V}} [\bar{\mathbf{P}}(\bar{\mathbf{u}}) : (\delta \bar{\mathbf{u}} \otimes \nabla_0) + \bar{\mathbf{Q}}(\bar{\mathbf{X}}) : (\delta \bar{\mathbf{u}} \otimes \nabla_0 \otimes \nabla_0)] dV$$

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- Weak enforcement of the \mathcal{C}^0

- Continuity
- Consistency
- Stability

between the finite elements

$$a^{\text{PI}}(\bar{\mathbf{u}}, \delta \bar{\mathbf{u}}) = \int_{\partial_I \bar{V}} \left[\llbracket \delta \bar{\mathbf{u}} \rrbracket \cdot \langle \bar{\mathbf{P}} - \bar{\mathbf{Q}} \cdot \nabla_0 \rangle \cdot \bar{\mathbf{N}} + \llbracket \bar{\mathbf{u}} \rrbracket \cdot \langle \bar{\mathbf{P}}(\delta \bar{\mathbf{u}}) - \bar{\mathbf{Q}}(\delta \bar{\mathbf{u}}) \cdot \nabla_0 \rangle \cdot \bar{\mathbf{N}} + \llbracket \bar{\mathbf{u}} \rrbracket \otimes \bar{\mathbf{N}} : \left\langle \frac{\beta_P}{h_s} \mathbf{C}^0 \right\rangle : \llbracket \delta \bar{\mathbf{u}} \rrbracket \otimes \bar{\mathbf{N}} \right] dV$$

- Allows efficient parallelization as elements are disjoint

- Second-order FE2 method

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- Capturing instabilities

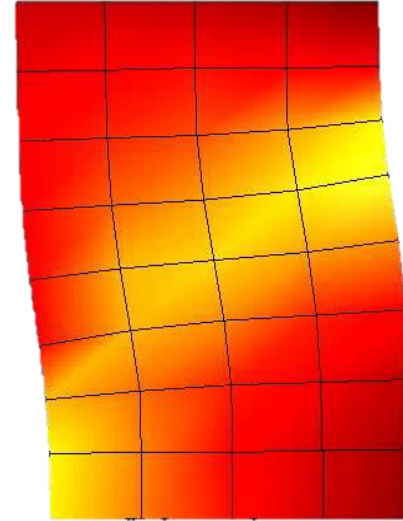
- Macro-scale: localization bands

- Path following method on the applied loading

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- Arc-length constraint on the load increment

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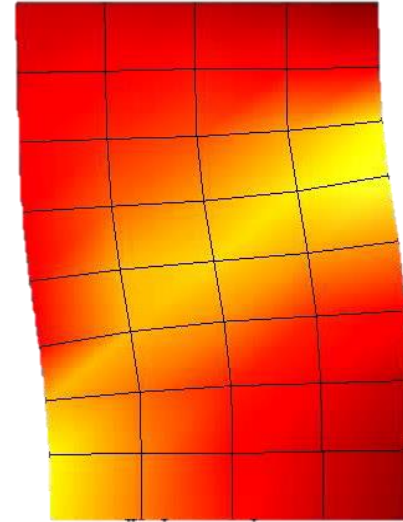
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- Micro-scale

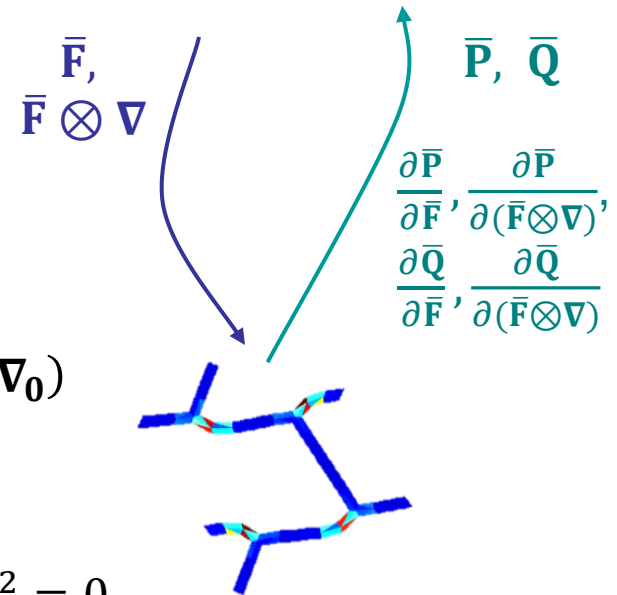
- Path following method on the applied boundary conditions

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$$\begin{cases} \bar{\mathbf{F}} = \bar{\mathbf{F}}_0 + \mu \Delta \bar{\mathbf{F}} \\ \bar{\mathbf{F}} \otimes \nabla_0 = (\bar{\mathbf{F}} \otimes \nabla_0)_0 + \mu \Delta(\bar{\mathbf{F}} \otimes \nabla_0) \end{cases}$$

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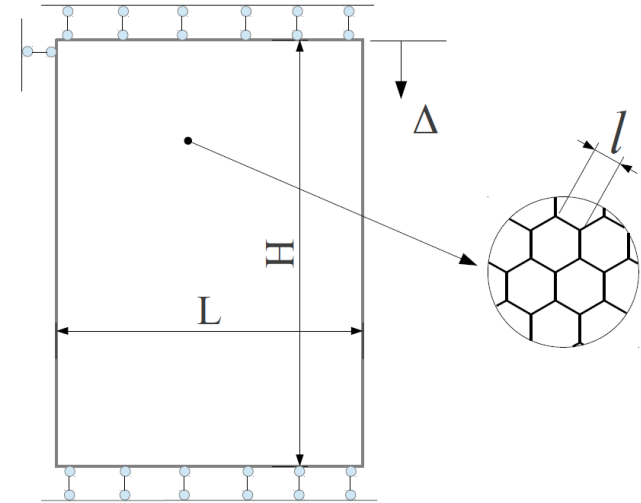
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Computational homogenization for foamed materials

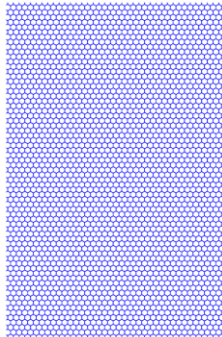
- Compression of an hexagonal honeycomb

- Elasto-plastic material

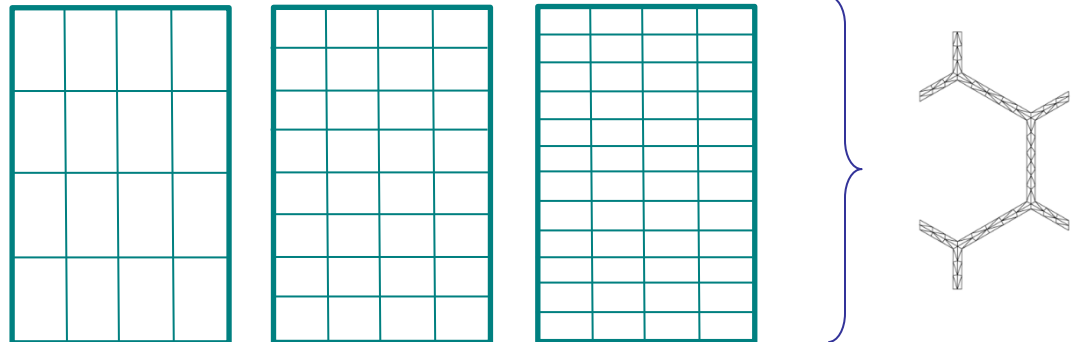


- Comparison of different solutions

Full direct simulation

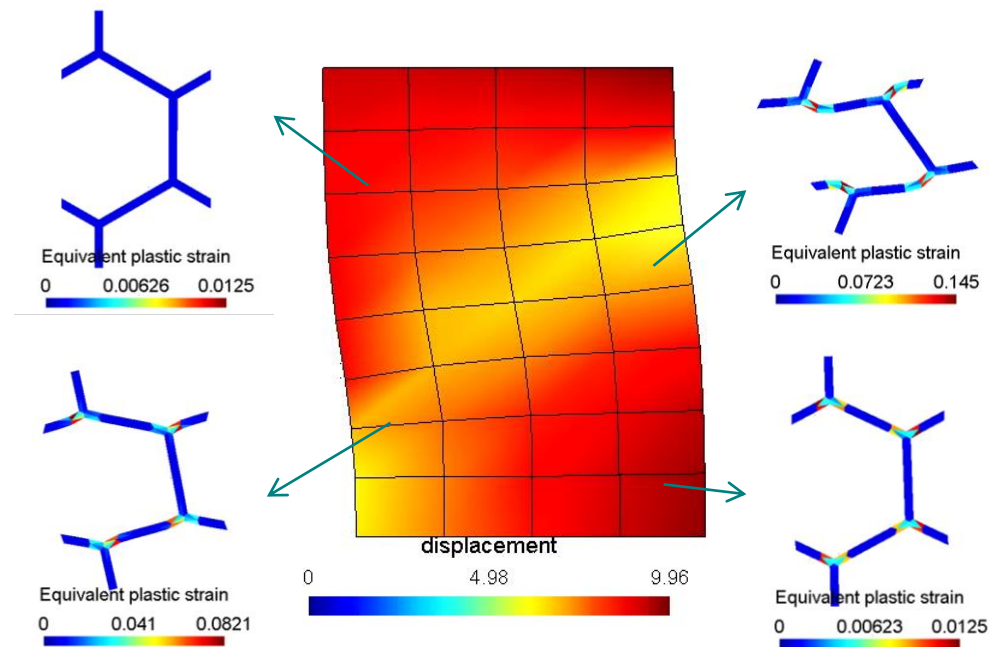
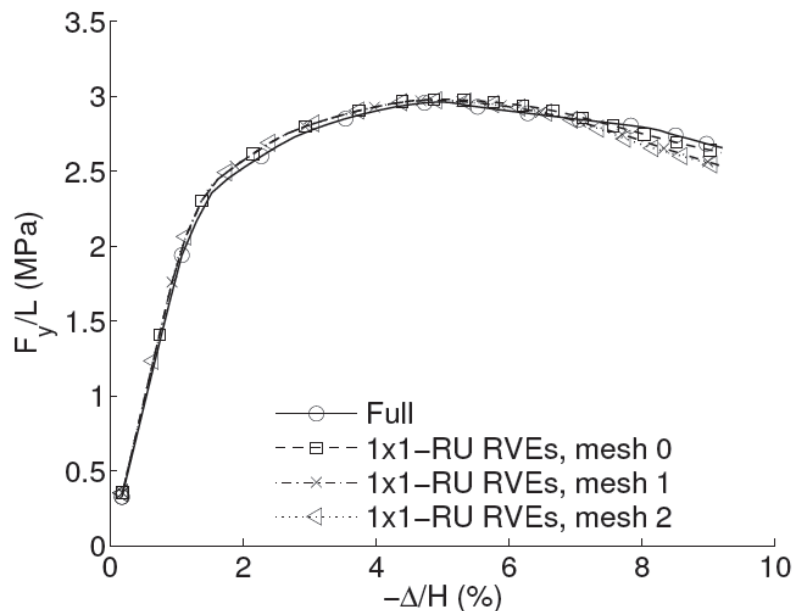
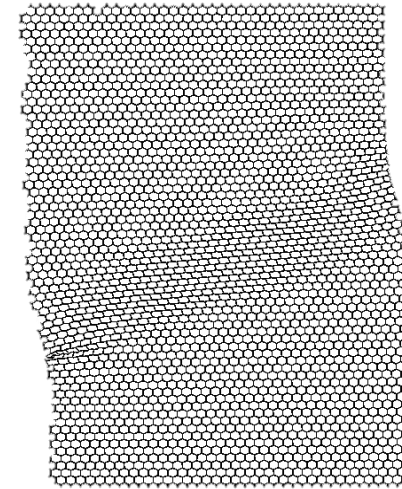


Multiscale with different macro-meshes

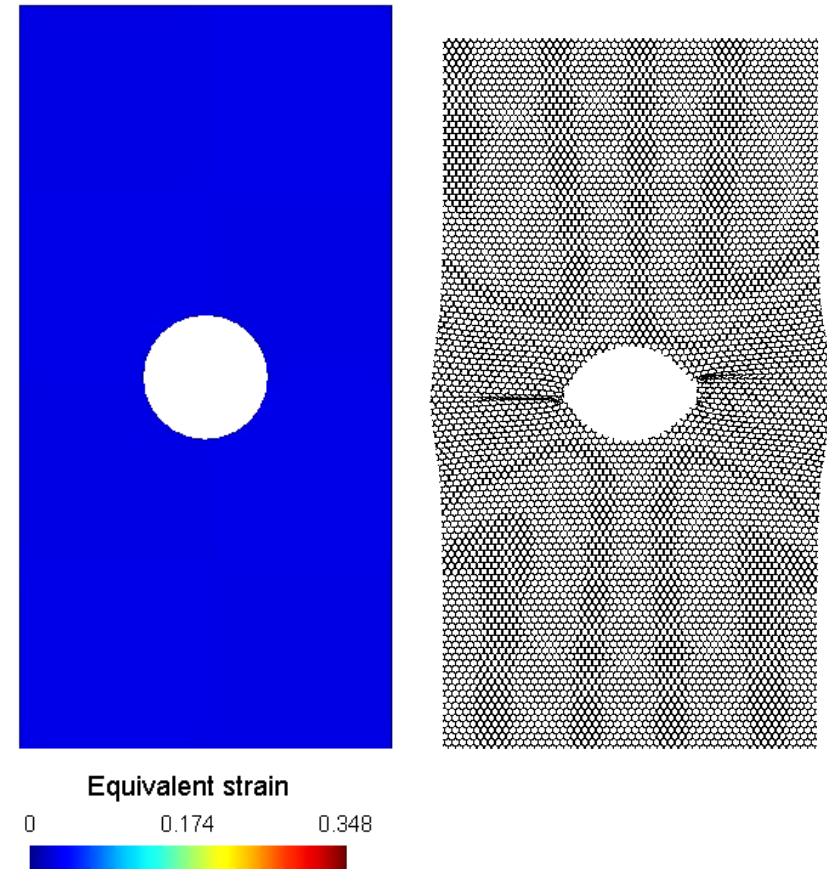
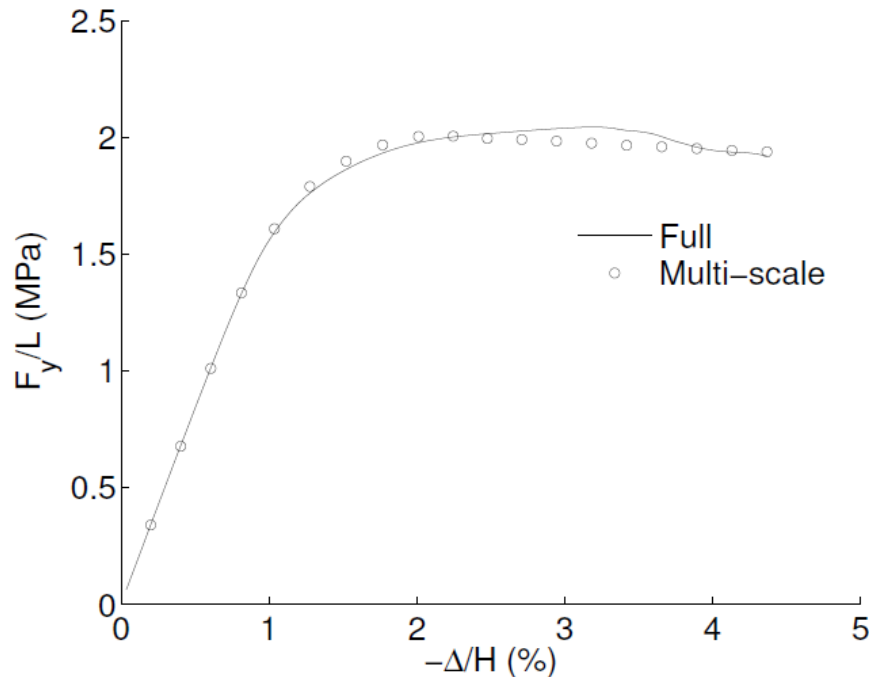


- Compression of an hexagonal honeycomb (2)

- Captures of the softening onset
- Captures the softening response
- No macro-mesh size effect



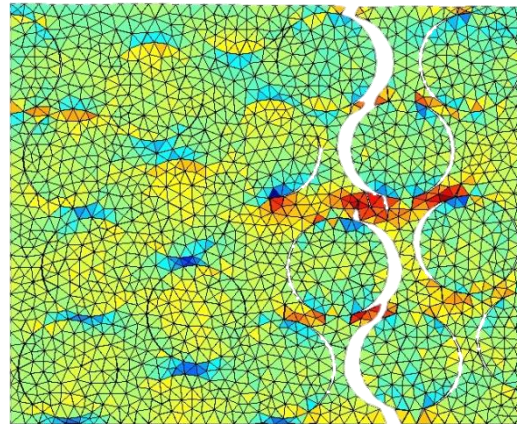
- Compression of an hexagonal honeycomb plate with a centered hole
 - Results given by full and multi-scale models are comparable



- Non-local damage-enhanced mean-field-homogenization
 - MFH with damage model for the matrix material
 - Non-local implicit formulation
 - Can capture the strain softening
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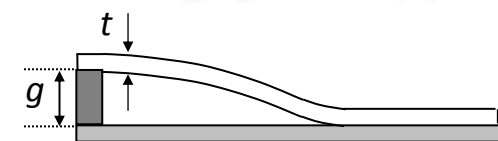
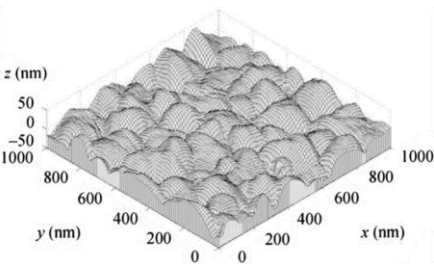


QC method for grain-boundary sliding

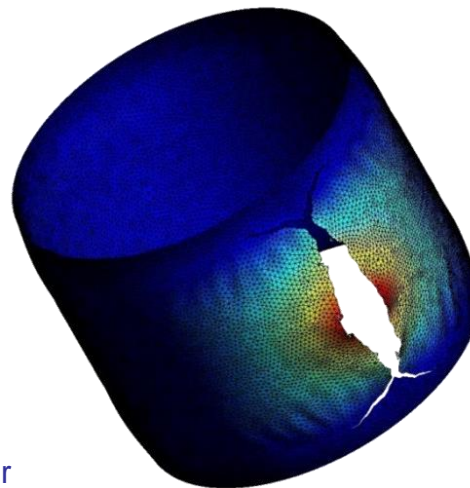


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SVE size effect on meso-scale properties

